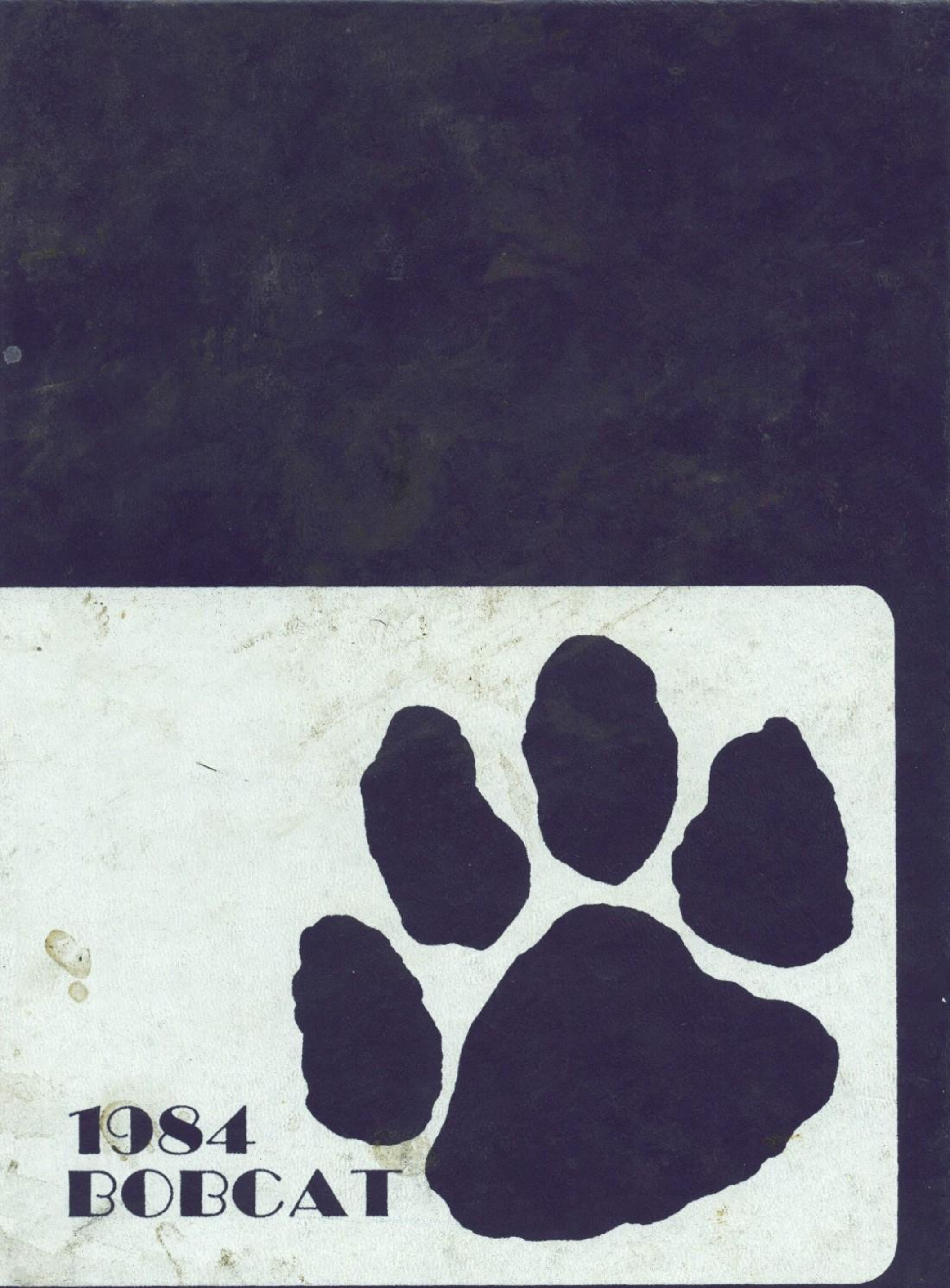

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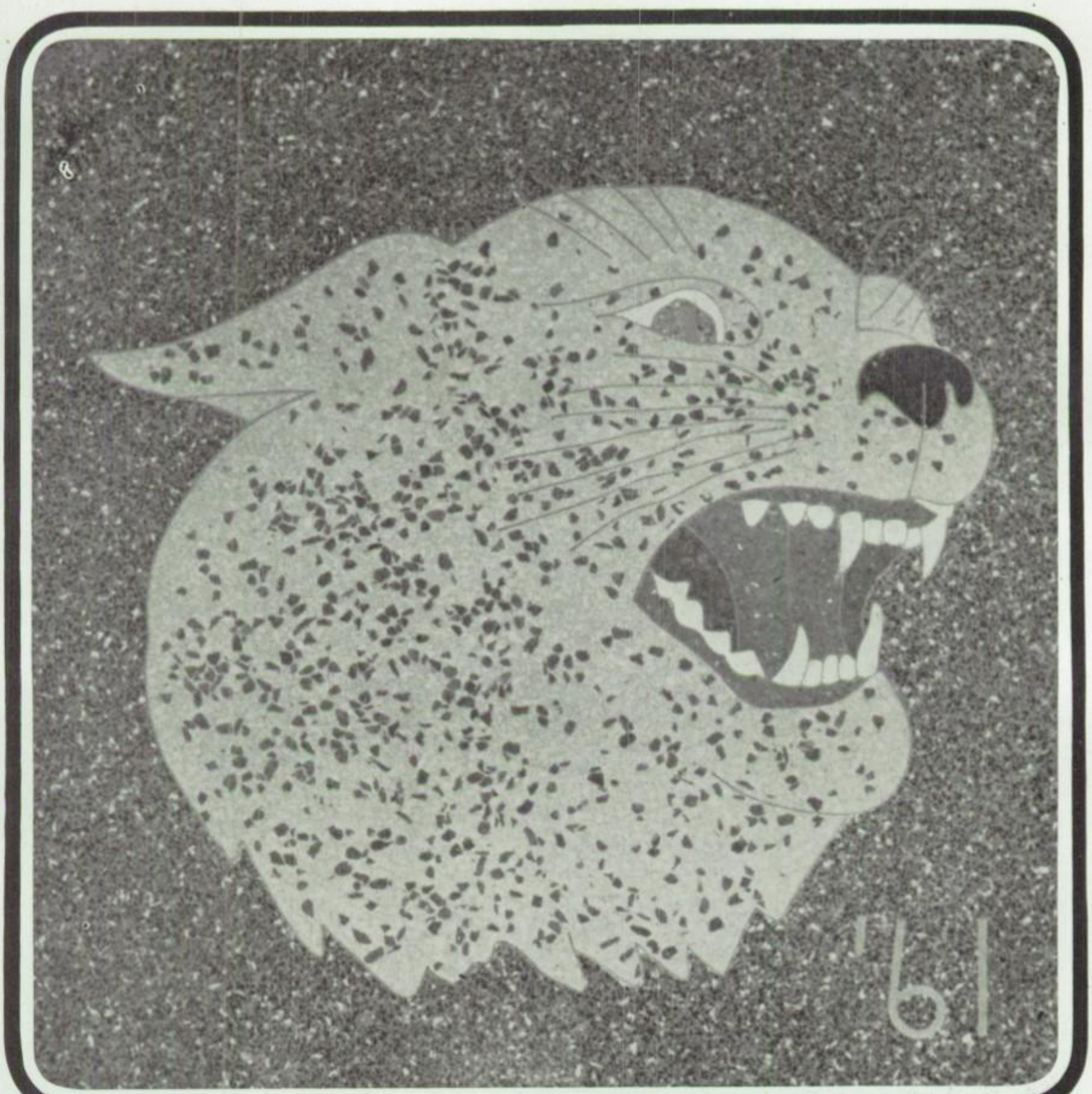

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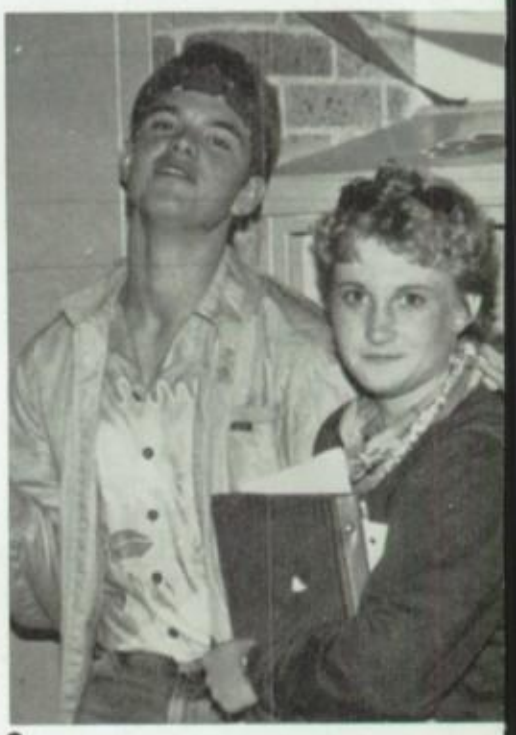

Making Tracks

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People Division

Administration They Keep Things Running

Superintendent — Robert Ryan

Curriculum/Federal Programs — Evie Froehner

Special Education — Corky Lockmiller

Business Manager
Gene King

Superintendent's Sec.
Nancy West

Bookkeeper
Roxie Loudder

Bookkeeper
Delma Myers

Special Education
Secretary
Maria Fuentes

School Board

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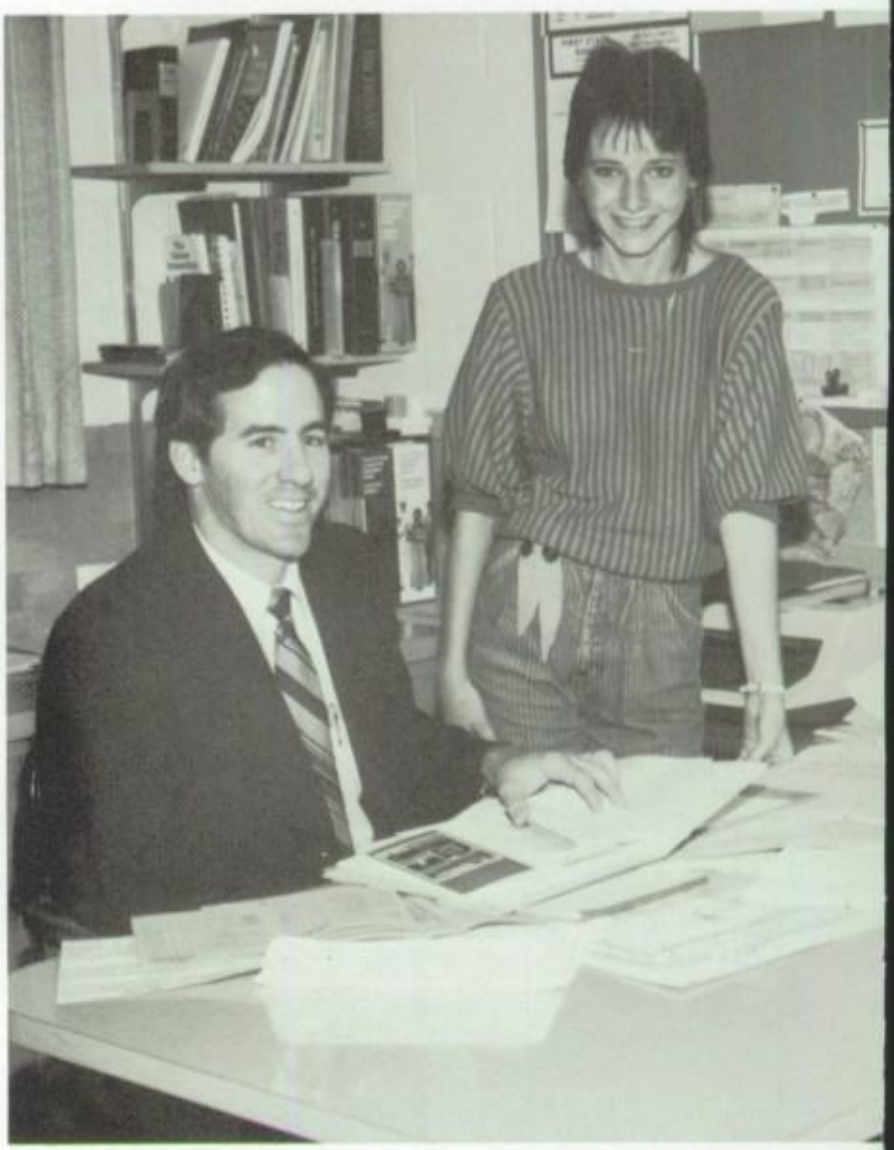

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Lucille Dollar
Principal's Secretary, Bookkeeper

Laverne Bernethy
Office Secretary

Faculty

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Abilene Christian U.

Danna Beck
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Wayland Baptist and Texas A&M

Sue Broderson
B.S.
Midwestern U.

Kenneth Cleveland
B.S. and M.E.
U. of Texas
West Texas U.

Libby Cleveland
B.S. and M.E.
U. of Texas
West Texas U.

Charles Cotter
B.S.
Abilene Christ. U.

Jim Curlee
B.S.
Panhandle State

Jon Davidson
B.S.
Texas Tech U.

Bernadine Griffin
B.S.
Texas Tech U.

Gene Griffin
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Texas Tech U.

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S.W. Baptist Seminary

Estella Hottel
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Lamar Tech. Beaumont

Sue Howell
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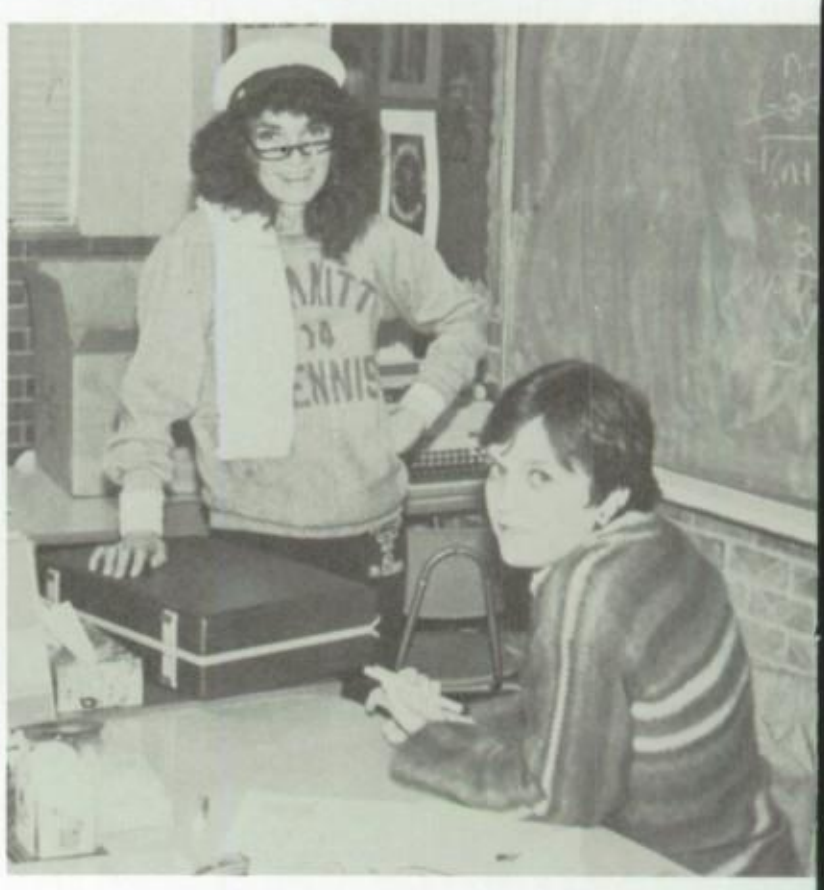

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George Rasor
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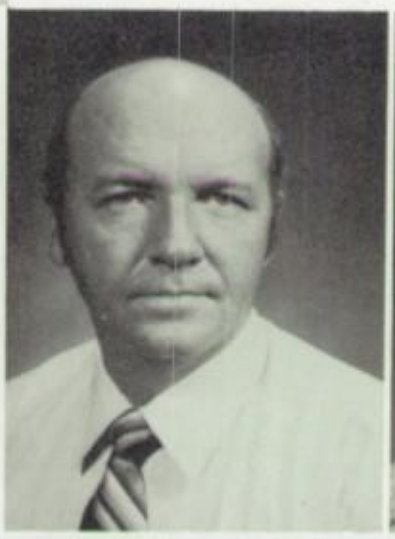

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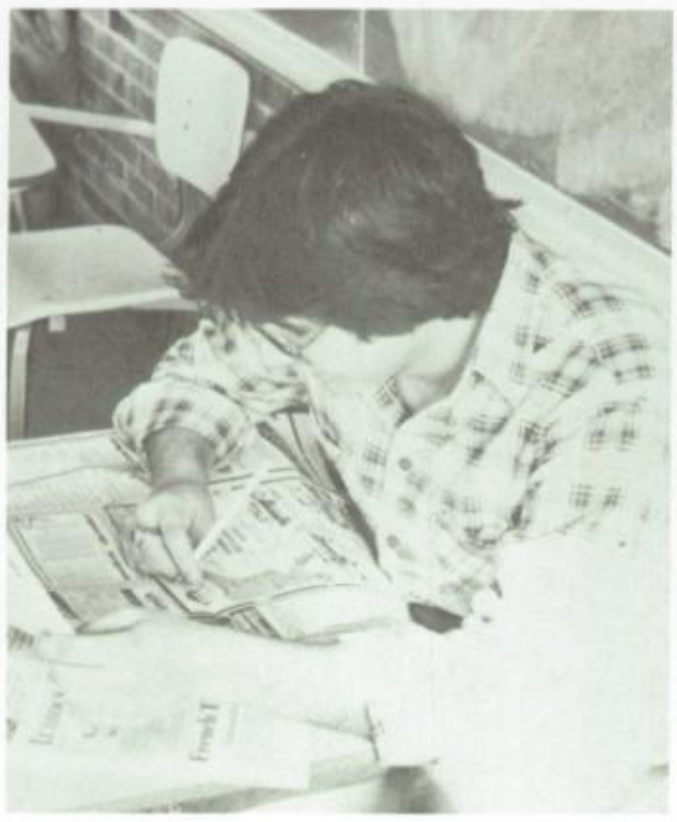

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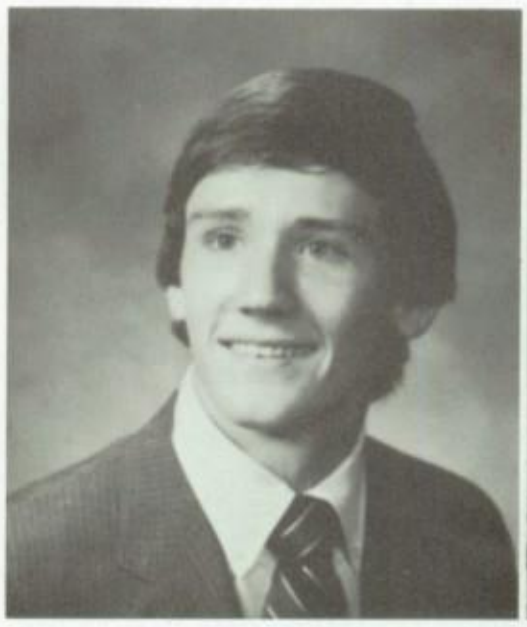

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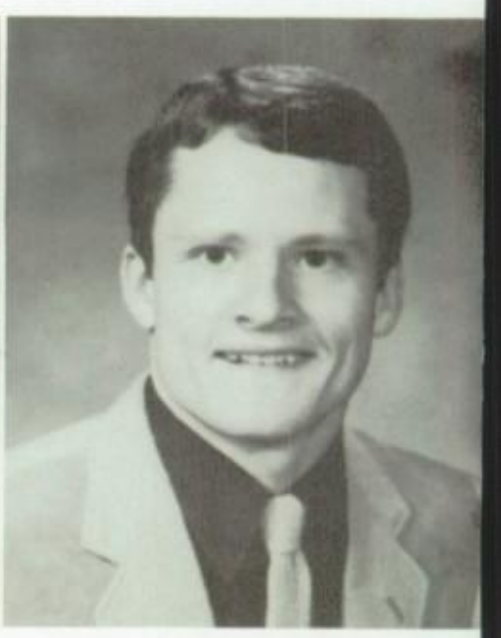

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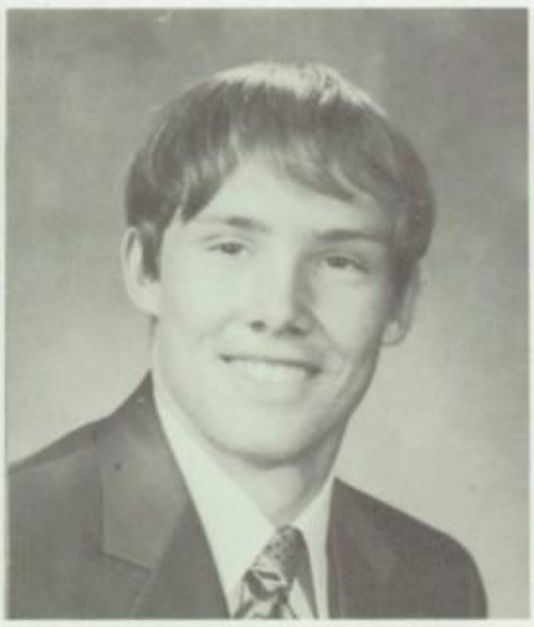

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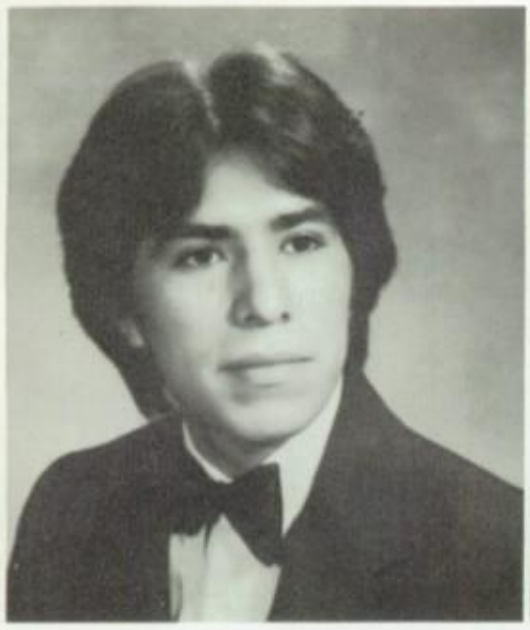

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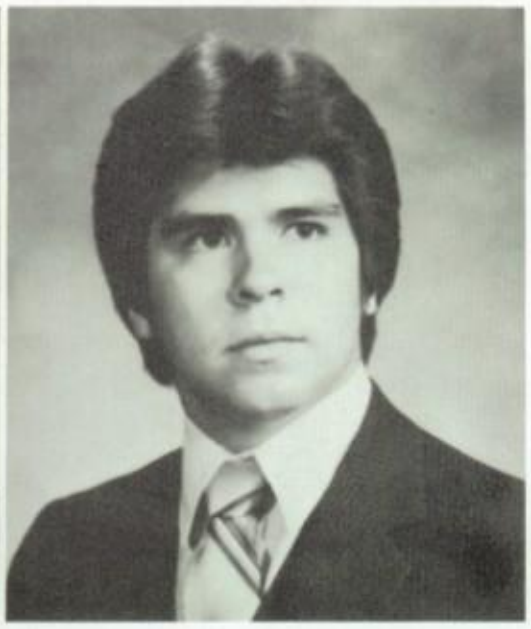

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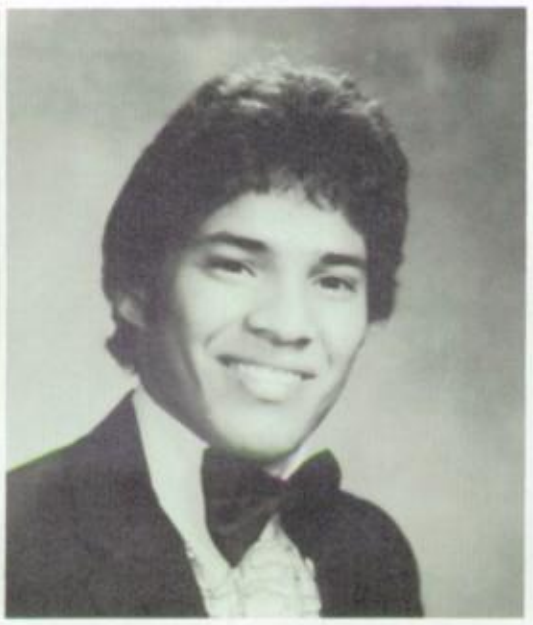

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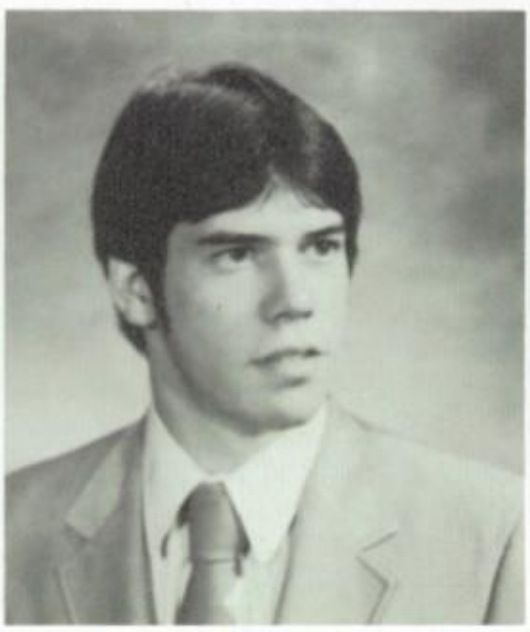

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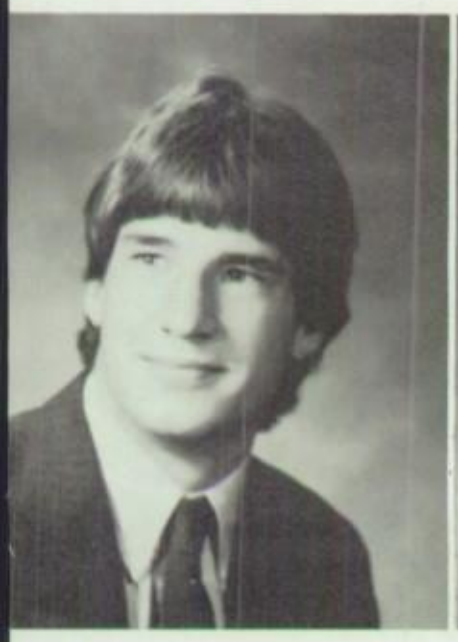

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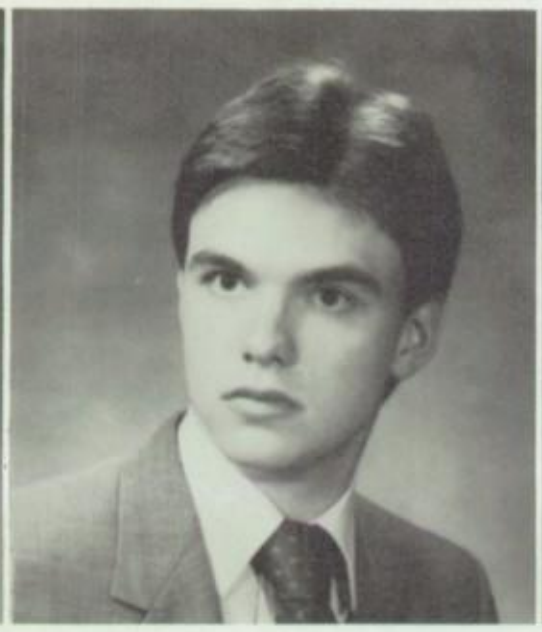

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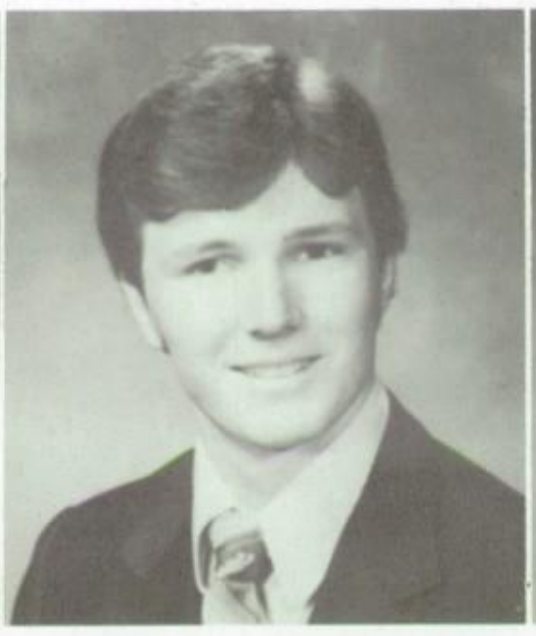

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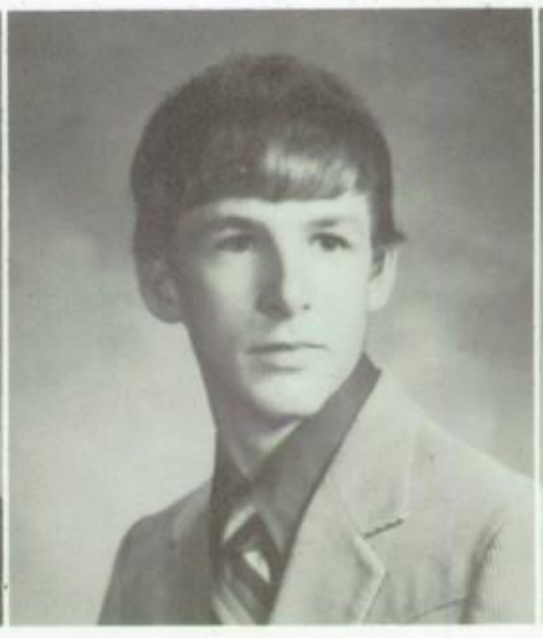

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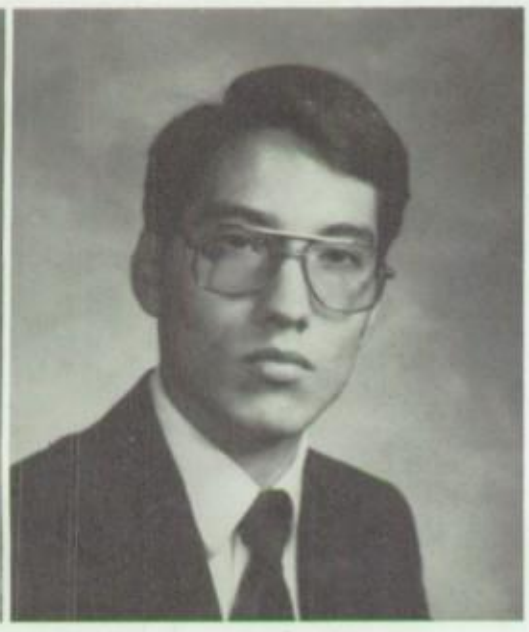

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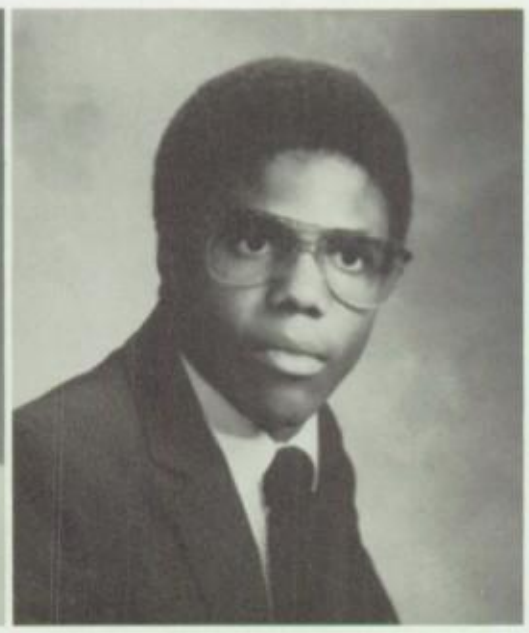

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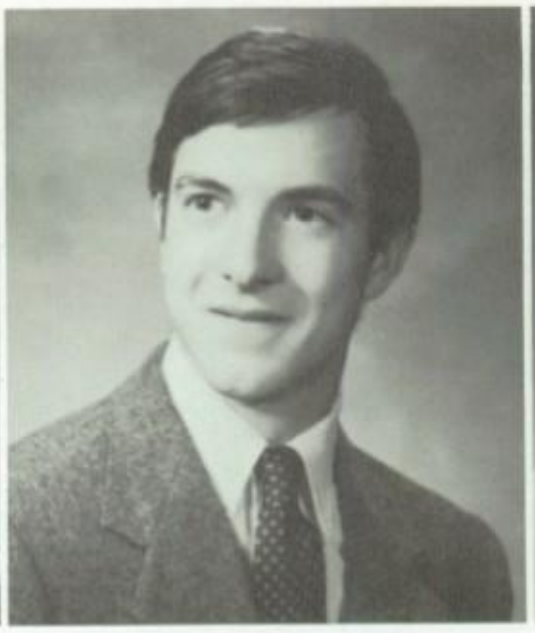

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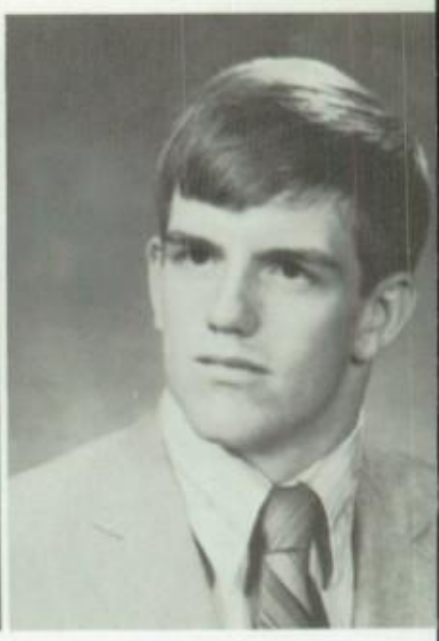

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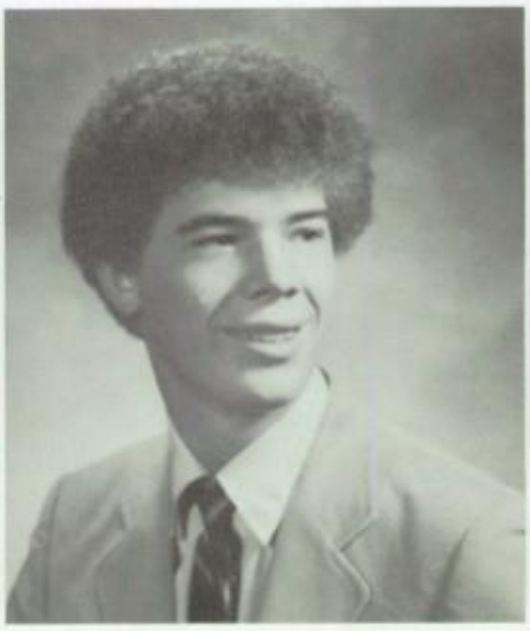

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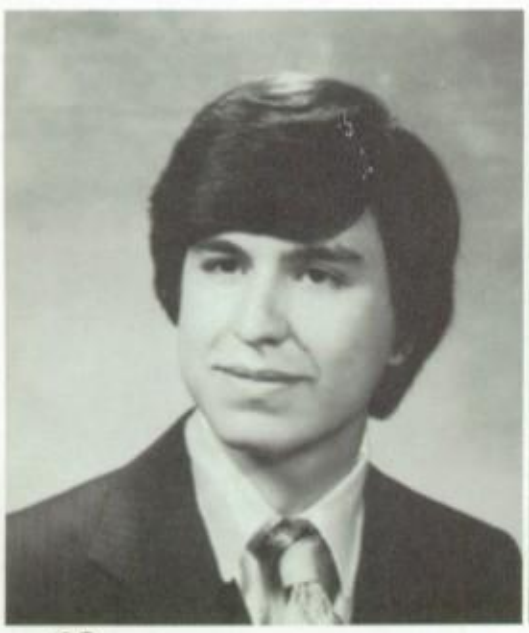

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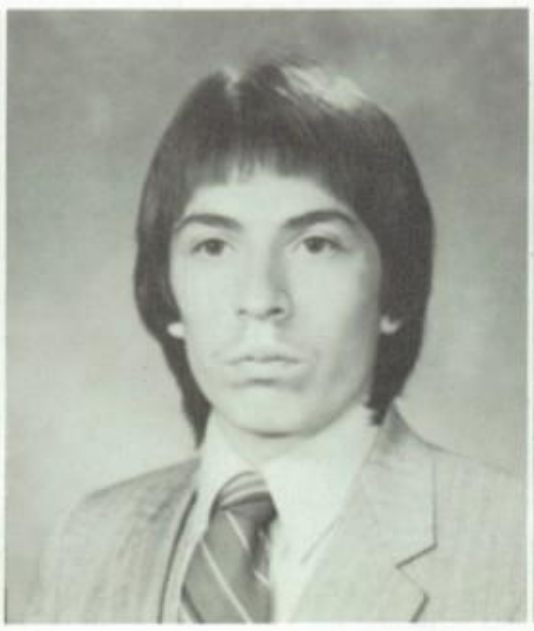

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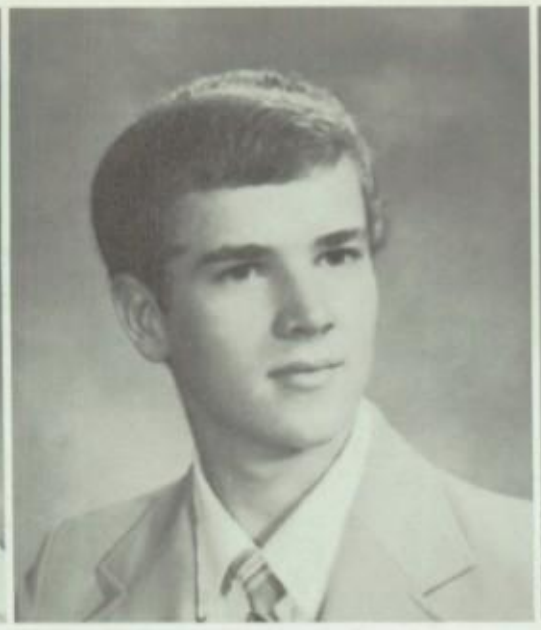

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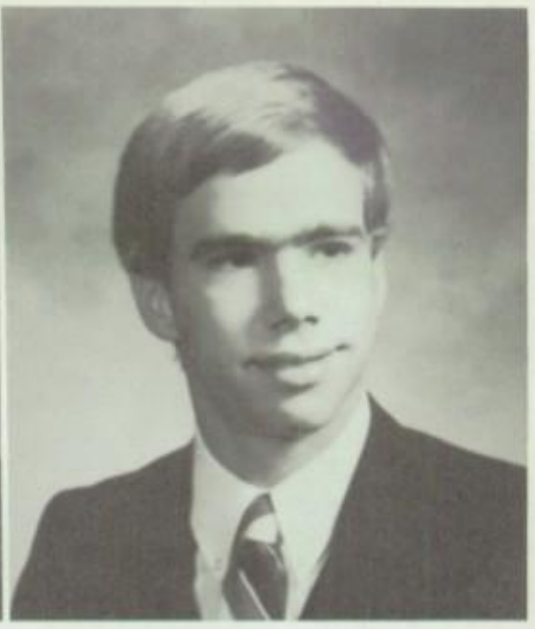

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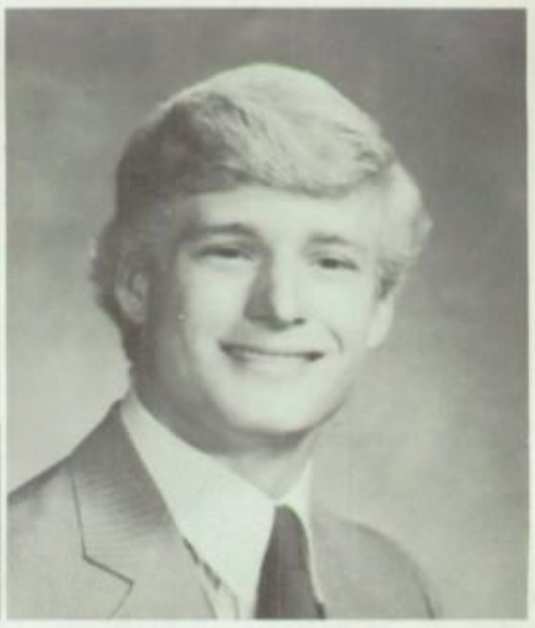

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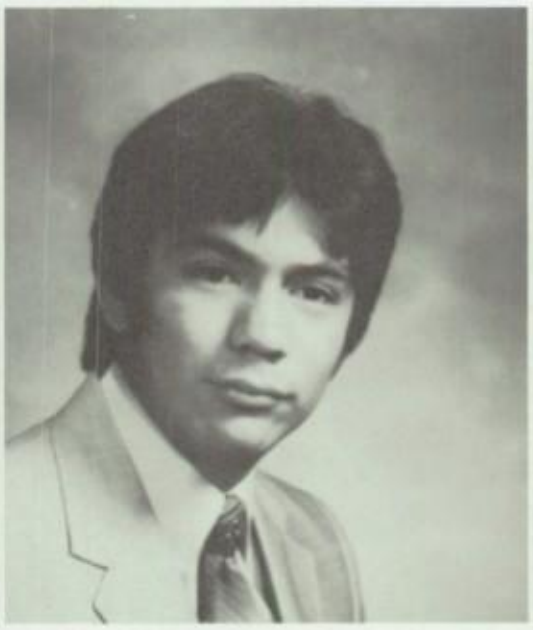

Victor Valdez

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Juanita Velasquez

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sometimes when you reach for a dream, you have to leave something behind.

People

Delia Arce
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Ruben Espinosa
Mary Flores
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Vicki Fuentes
Elizabeth Garcia

Norma Gonzales
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Shirley Hanson

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Kim Howell
Stacie Jackson

Debora Jordan
Tammy Jordan
Rachel Lara

Alex Lopez
Gloria Lopez
Lydia Lopez

Best All Around

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Most Likely To Succeed

Greg Sava
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Michael Love
Bobby Martinez

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Tammy McMillon

Susanne Mirelez
Josie Molina

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Sotero Ramos

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Tama West
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Olivia Lorez
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Janie Ramirez
Terrie Ramos

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Mike Robel
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Terry Wright
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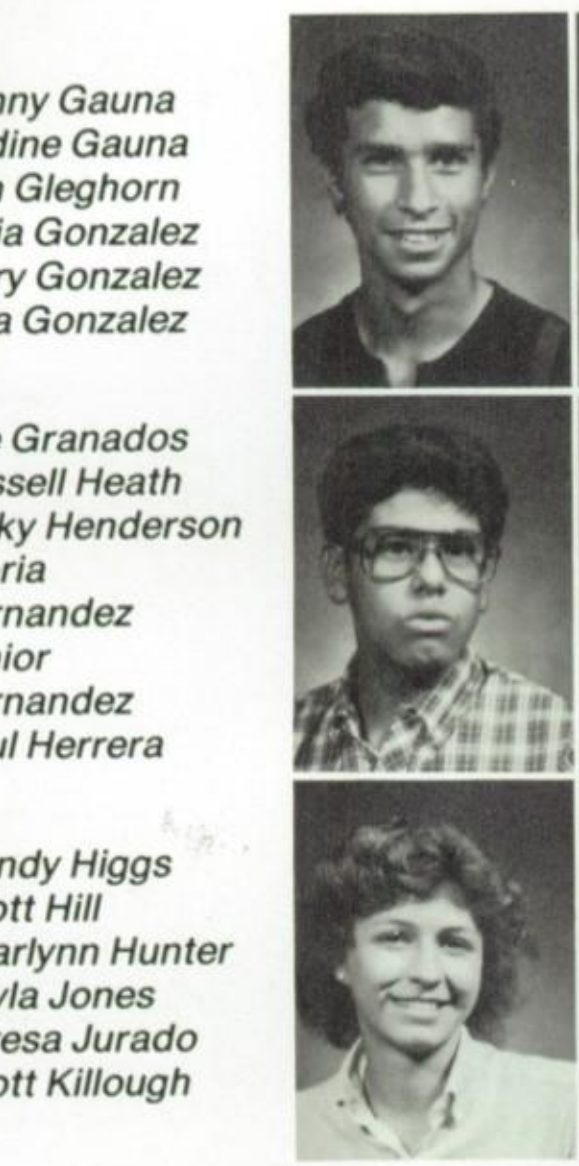

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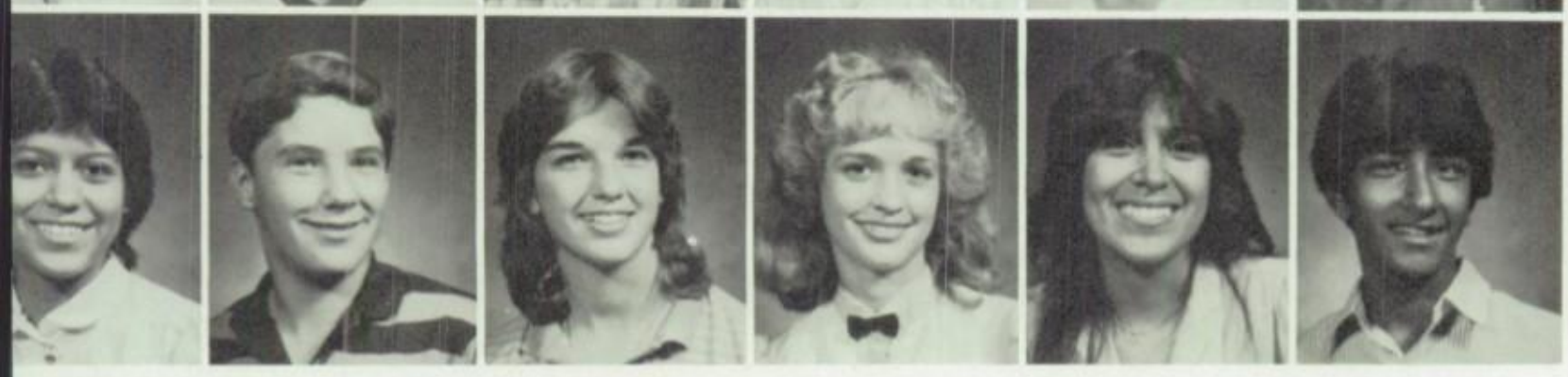

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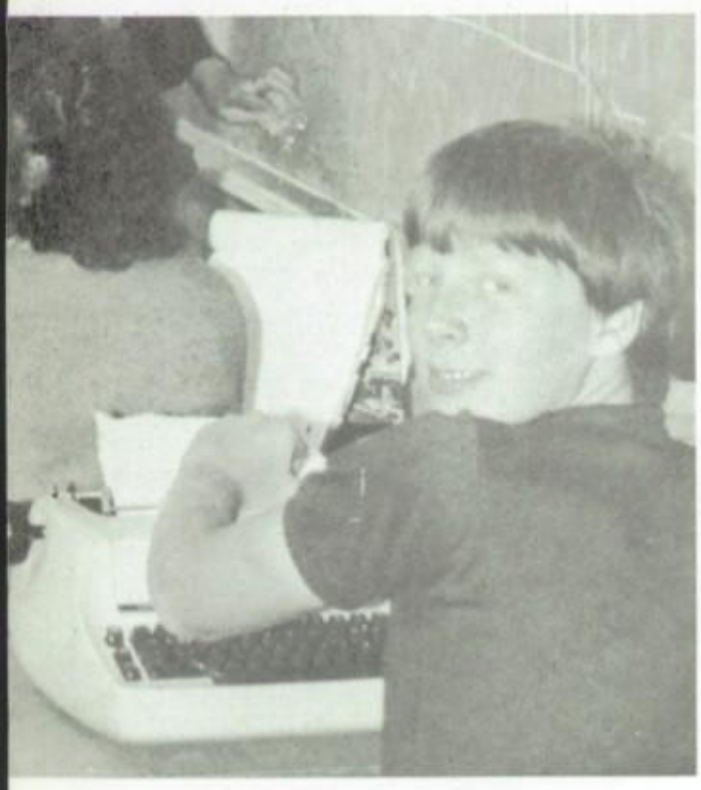

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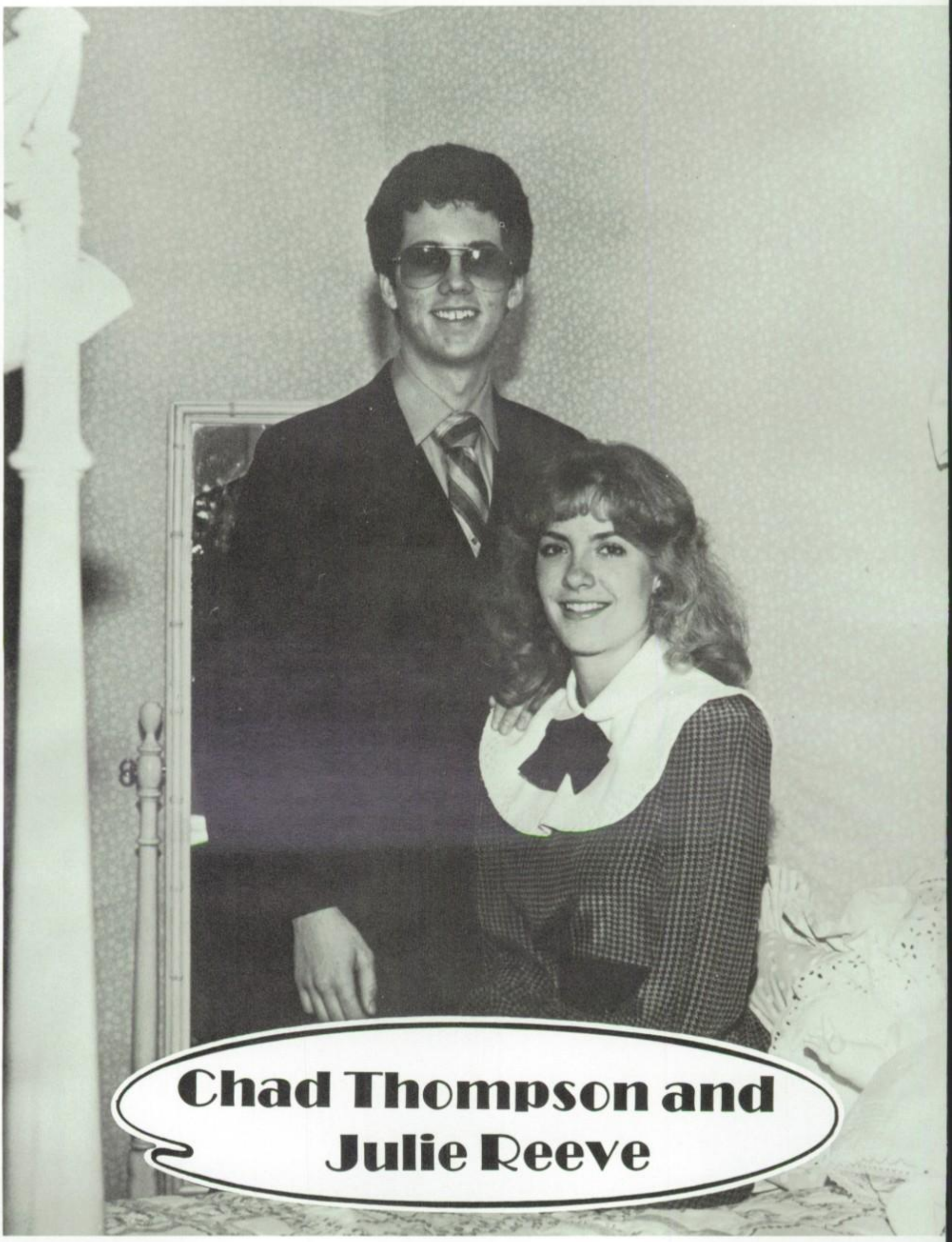
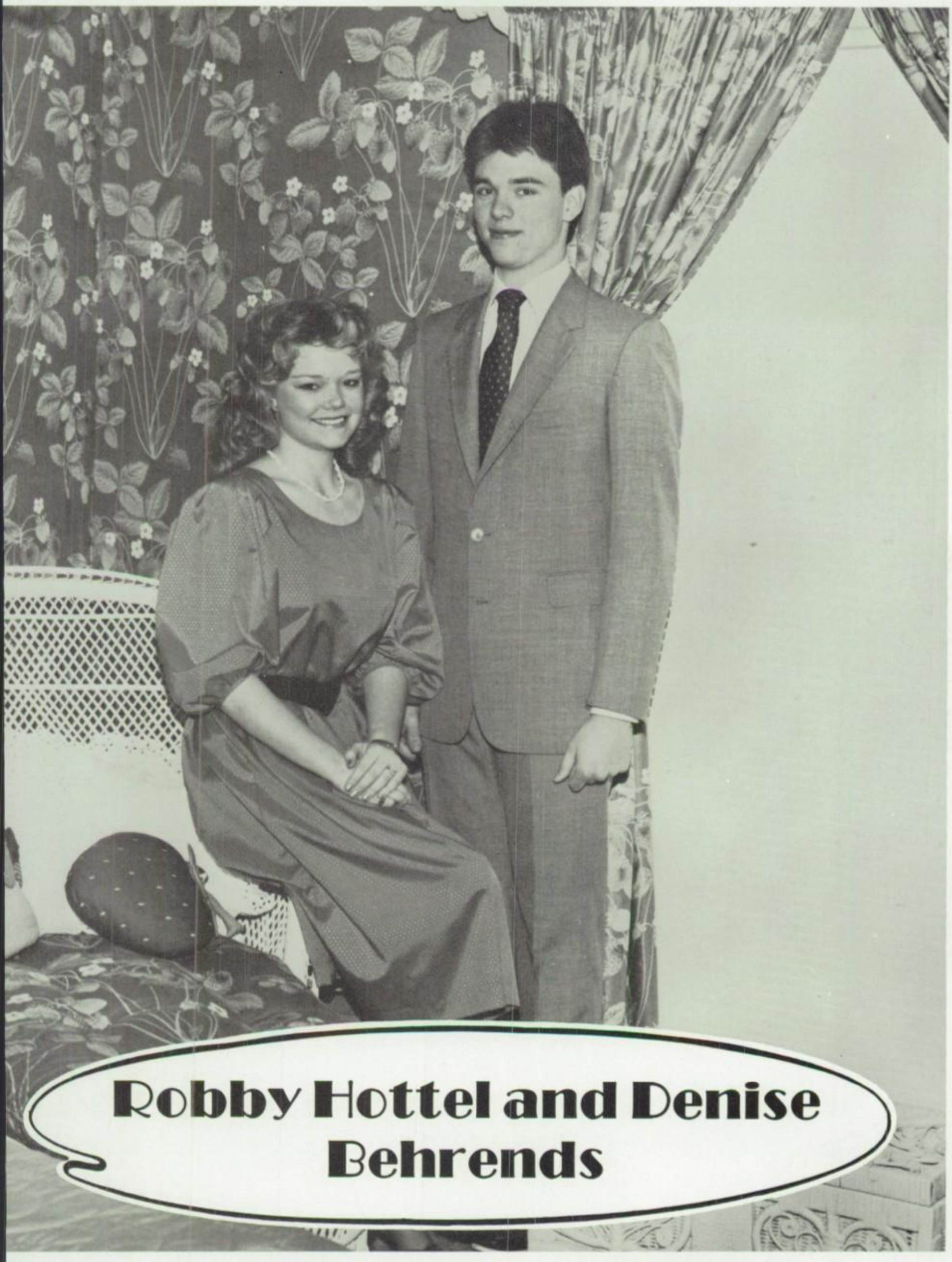


Chad Thompson and Julie Reeve

Most Handsome and Beautiful

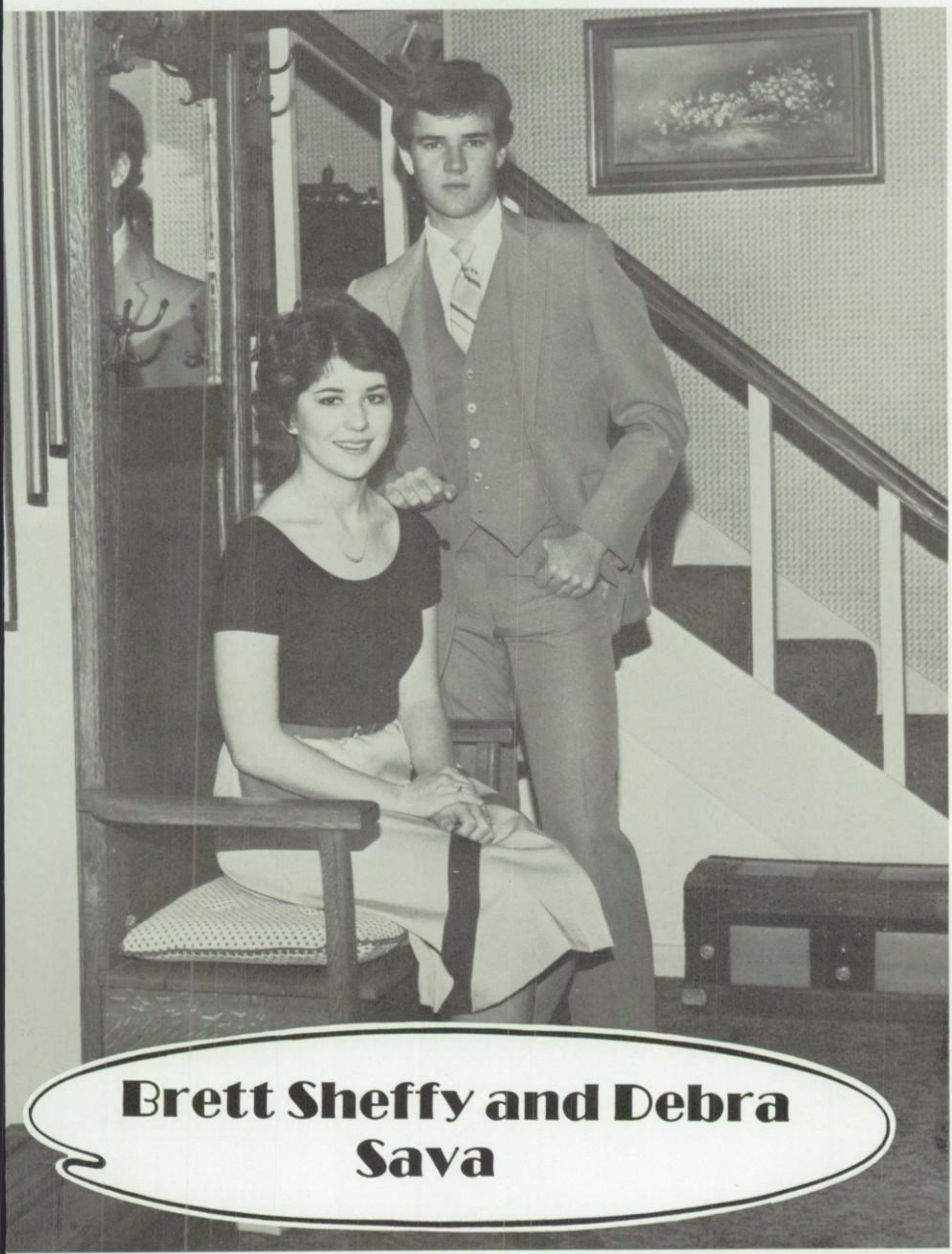


Robby Hottel and Denise Behrends

Courtesy King and Queen

Scott Simpson and Roxanne Gabel

Friendiest



Brett Sheffy and Debra Sava

Flame King and Queen

(A) Flame King and Queen: Dwight McDonald and Julie Reeve. (B) Jr. candidates: Michael Love and Stacie Jackson. (C) Soph. candidates: Mark Smothermon and Stephanie Ryan. (D) Fresh. candidates: Johnny Puente and Jackie Spinhirne.

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Homecoming Queen

(A) Homecoming Queen: Krystal Scott. (B) Jr. candidate: Tricia Touchstone escorted by Doug Nelson. (C) Soph. candidate: Marlene Nino escorted by Woody Glass. (D) Fresh. candidate: Jamie Reeve escorted by Joel Nelson.

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Civic Club Sweethearts

LIONS CLUB
CYNDI MARSH

ROTARY CLUB
KRYSTAL SCOTT

KIWANIS CLUB
BECKY BENTON

1983-84 FOOTBALL QUEEN

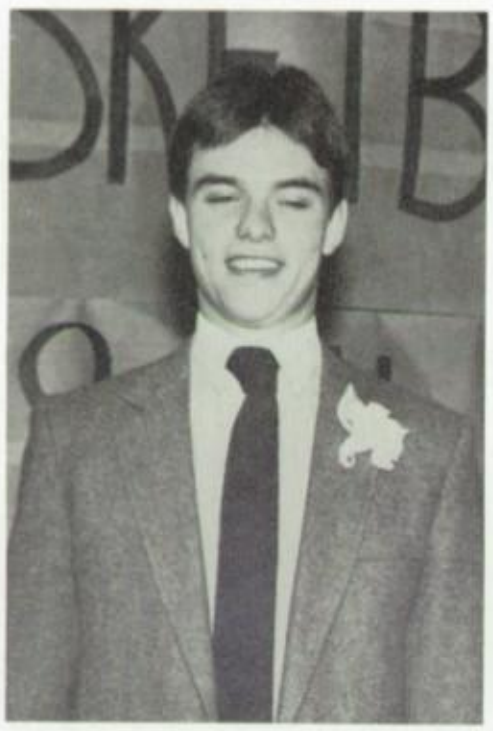
ROXANNE GABLE

1983-84 BASKETBALL QUEEN

TOBBY TISCHLER

Basketball King and Queen

(A) Basketball King and Queen: Dwight McDonald and Julie Reeve. Sr. Candidates for King: (B) Robby Hottel and (C) Robert Nelson. Sr. Candidates for Queen: (D) Becky Benton and (E) Roxanne Gabel. (F) Jr. Candidates: Darrell Washington and Tammy Washington. (G) Soph. Candidates: Mark Smothermon and Jill Smith. (H) Fresh. Candidates: Scott Hill and Molly Gay Waggoner.



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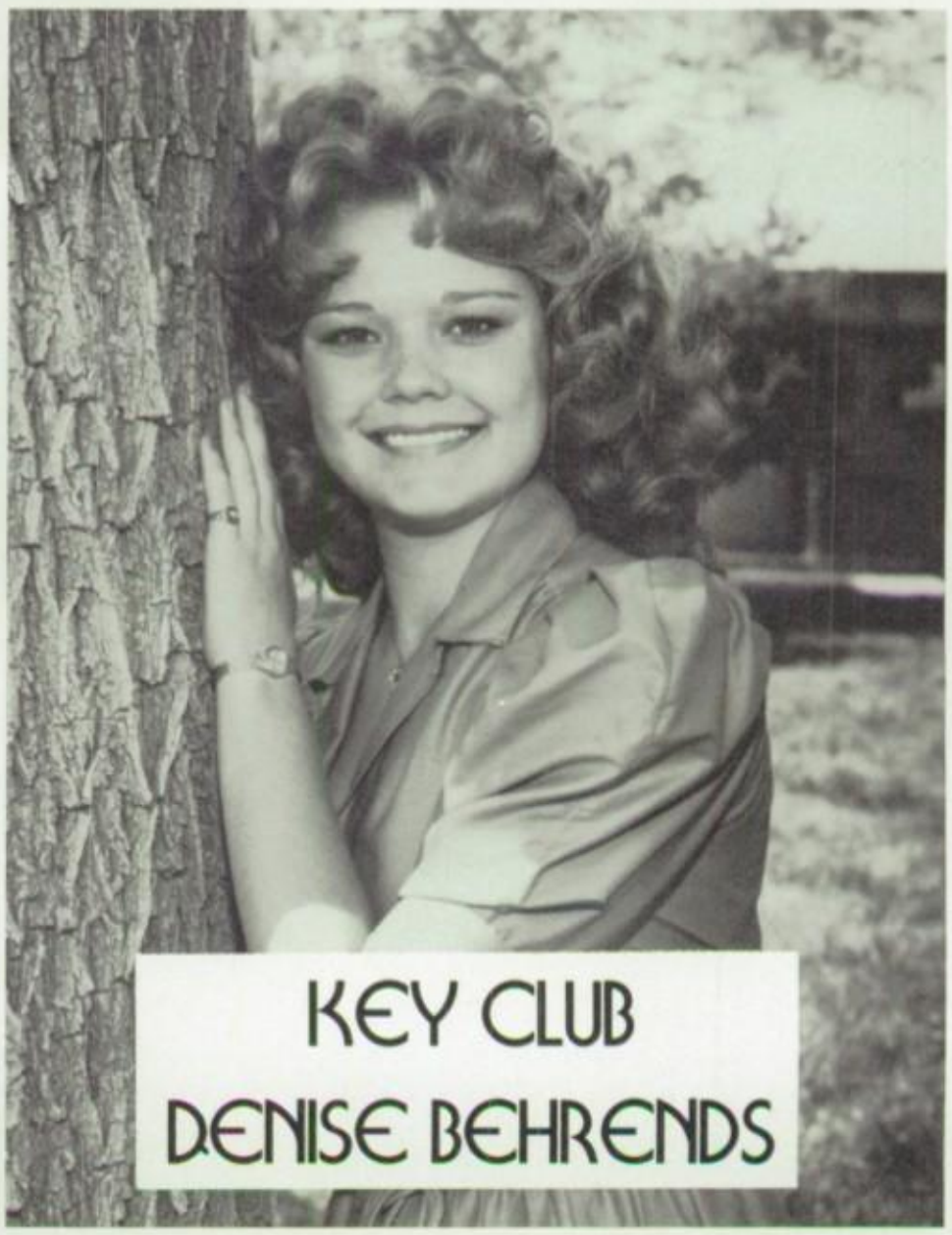
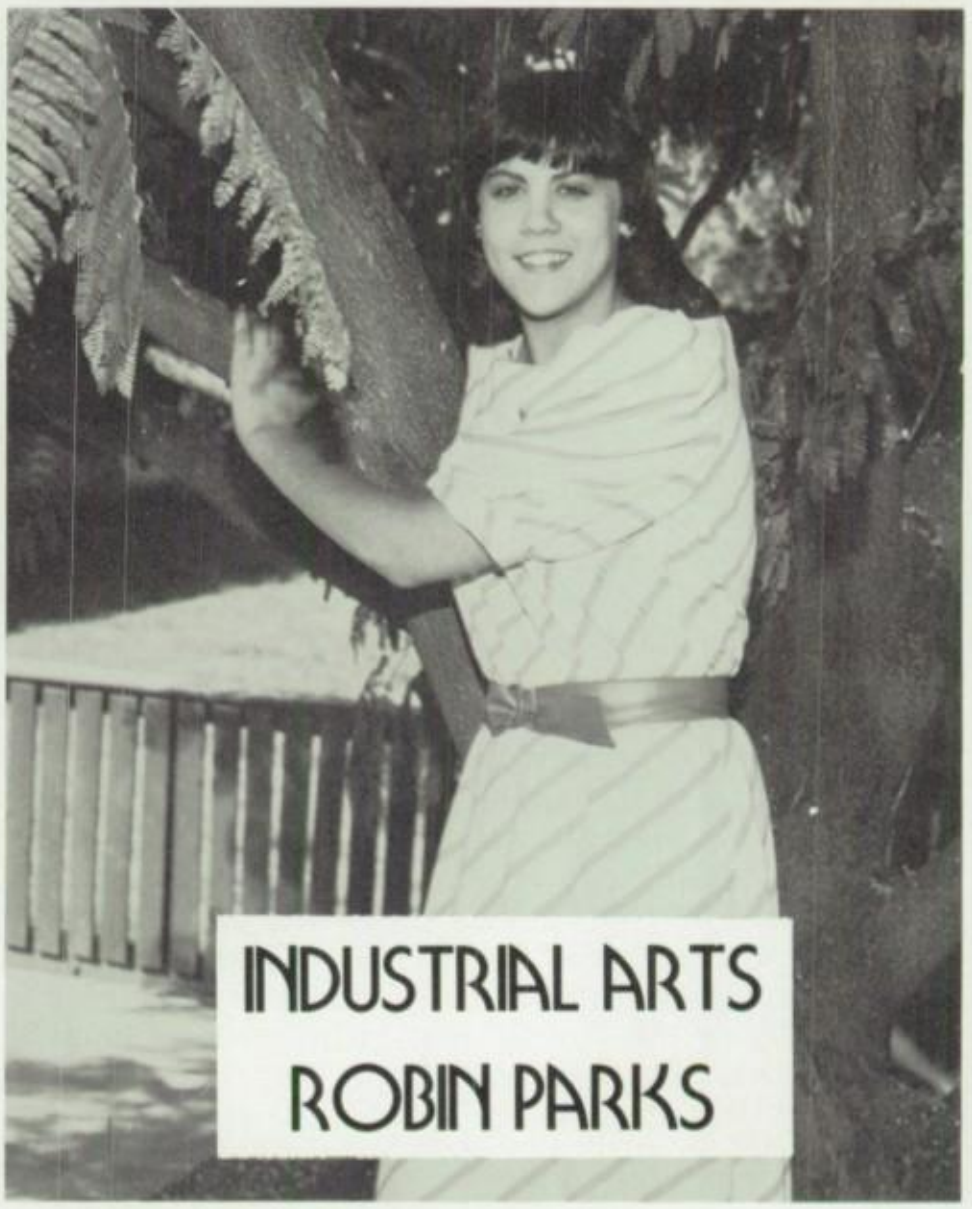
Club Sweethearts

INTERACT
JULIE REEVE



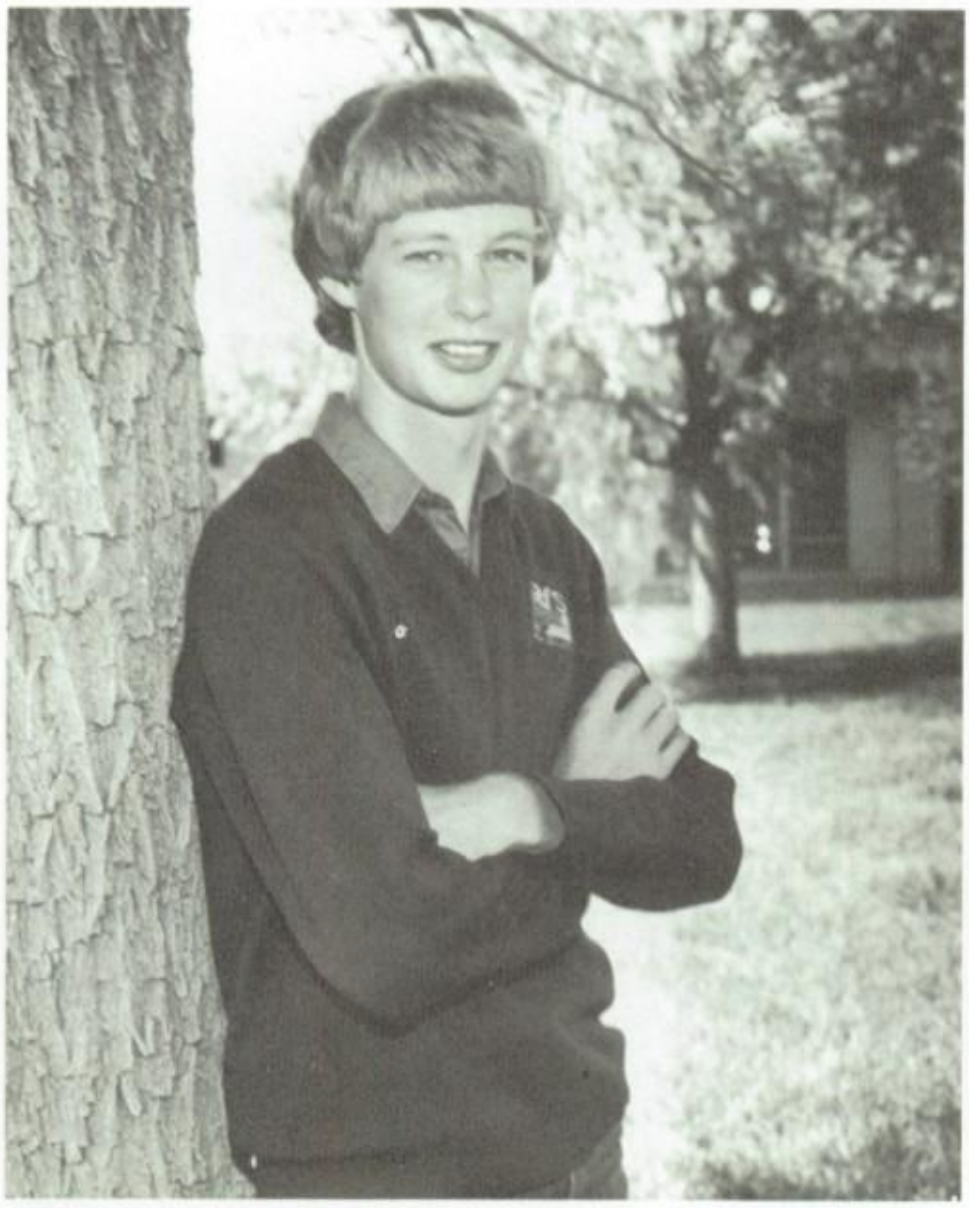
KEY CLUB
DENISE BEHRENDS

FFA SWEETHEART AND
PLOWGIRL
ROXANNE GABLE
KIM HOWELL



INDUSTRIAL ARTS
ROBIN PARKS

American Field Service



Owen Viles

Ketoa (Hello), my name is Owen Viles. I am American Field Service student from Feilding, N Zealand staying here in Dimmitt from July 1983 to ly 1984.

I stayed with Doug, Cheryle, and Carla Pybus, v throughout the year were extremely good to me a host family and as friends. I feel honored to h been placed with such a warm and open family, well as a great A.F.S. orientated town who have gi so much of their time, love, and friendship to me. I so grateful for your support in so many ways. Y have all given me part of yourselves to make year's stay here in Dimmitt more than just a memo

To the football coaches who taught me their see ingly strange game, the band players and direct for fun band trips and sweet music, the Ag depa ment for the pleasure of taking care of two ignor woolly sheep, and the fun of country dances, I tha you, for as students we can only do so much, you, people of Dimmitt, make our stay here what it is us.

E noho rā ki tahi au acoha; hoa ā whāoau, kia (Goodbye to the ones I love; friends and family, tha you).

God Ble

Ov

Anja Biester

Hi! I am so full of warm feelings for y'all that I do not know where to start. First of all I would like to thank you — the whole community, the teachers, the students, and especially family Boozer — for all the help, patience, and love you gave me.

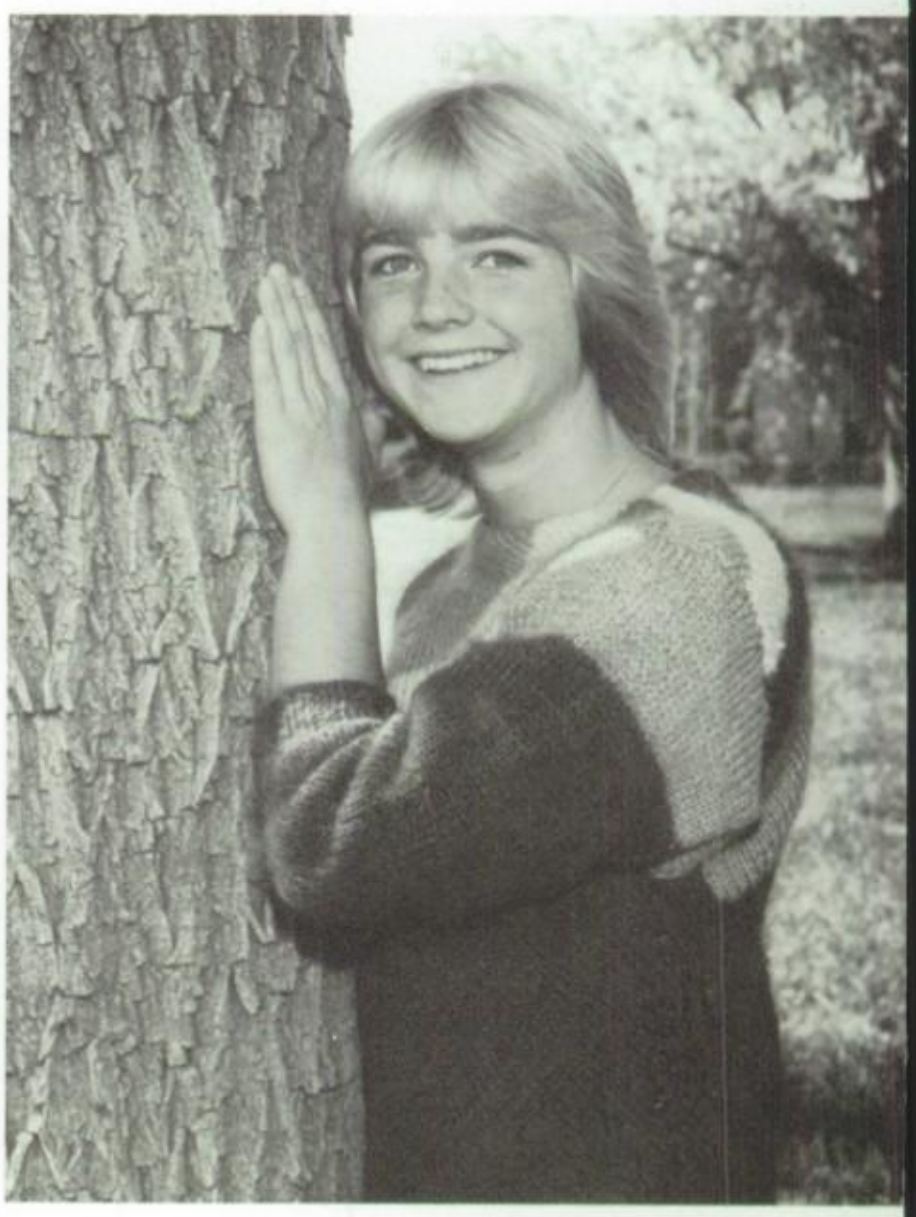
My family here in Texas, the Monty Boozers, are the best family I could ever get. My parents, Monty and Sue, were the greatest parents, and my brothers and sister, Robert, Britt, and Kyla, were just super.!

When I first arrived in Dimmitt, some things seemed a little strange to me. There were girls with make-up and curly hair. There were also the football games which I had never seen before. But the funniest thing was when we went cruising! It did not take me very long, though, to adjust and appreciate it. Now I must say there is nothing I love more! We had so much fun, and I know, I'm gonna miss it very much when I go back to Germany.

Before I finally have to say goodbye, you need to promise me to come and visit me in Germany whenever you get the chance. Since I have learned so much about your country, I would like to show you a little bit of mine. My family, who I thank very much for giving me this year, and I welcome you!

Thanks again for making my year so special. I love you all!!!

Tschüss (Bye),
Anja



Summer — AFS

KYLA BOOZER

The memories of Italy are still so very vivid in my mind that it sometimes seems I never left. In the short time I was there, I learned new customs, a new language, and made new friends. My "family" really became family in heart. I only wished my experiences could be shared with my friends back home. You, my friends, gave me the support I needed to go on this adventure and for this I thank you!

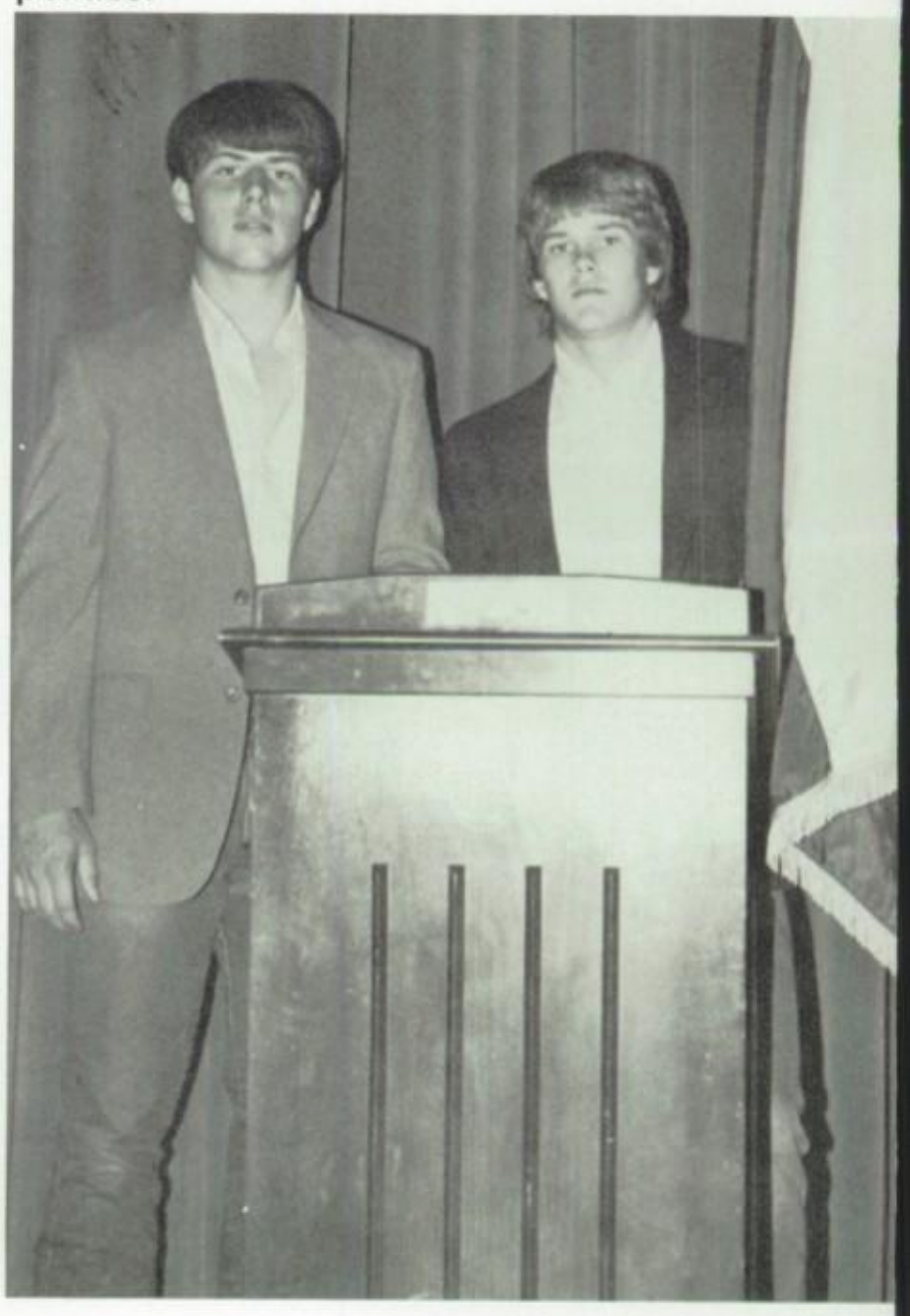
CARA HIGGS

n the summer of '83 I spent 7 weeks in st Germany. It was quite an adventure. en though there were hard times, I really oyed it. Everything from food to nsportation is very different. I learned a about new cultures and I hope that eryone can someday travel to Europe and et its people. Language is a barrier but a ile goes a long way. My summer was the st yet and I learned things that will last a time.

American Legion Boys' and Girls' State and Presidential Classroom

Greg Sava was chosen by the faculty to repre sent D.H.S. at a week-long seminar held i Washington, D.C. After the week of lectures, trip to many places in Washington, D.C., meeting ne people and making new friends, students returne to their hometown high school better informe about our government and ready to help other understand more also.

Boys' and girls' state representatives are spon sored by the local American Legion Chapter an the Republican Women's Organization. The girls meeting is held in Seguin and the boys' in Austin The students participate in many kinds of activitie that teach them about Texas government an politics.



All Region Choir and Band

Mary Sanchez
Albert Valdez
Kayla Jones

st Row: Chad Thompson, Denise Behrends, Brett Sheffy, Robby Hottel. **2nd Row:** Carla Frye, Joyce Schilling, aura Hargrove, Nathan Malone.

Top Scholastic Students

Seniors

Chad Thompson
Sandi Schinkus
Julie Reeve
Roxanne Gabel
Kennen Howell
Robert Nelson
Scott Nelson
Mark Bruegel
Debra Sava
Denise Behrends

Juniors

Greg Sava
Mary Flores
Michael Love
Carla Frye
Steven Bagley
Stacie Jackson
Nathan Nelson
Kim Howell
Joan Robel
Kelli Small

Sophomores

Jill Smith
Donna Behrends
Woody Glass
Kerry Lewis
Ben Benton
Laura Hargrove
Becki Gregory
Amy Downing
Denise Smith
Mark Shackleford

Freshmen

Jamie Reeve
Jacalyn Thompson
Ronna Lewis
Kerri Collins
Cinnamon Cox
Cara Odom
Laura Nelson
Sharla Richards
Jackie Spinhirne
Scott Hill

National Honor Society

1984 National Honor Society Inductees

irst Row: Denise Smith, Donna Behrends, Jill Smith, Laura Hargrove, Jeff Butler, Becki Gregory, Vonda ichards. **Second Row:** Kerry Lewis, Nathan Nelson, Ben Benton, Amy Downing, Steven Bagley, Woody lass.

LIE REEVE — president

NNEN HOWELL — vice president

BRA SAVE — secretary

BERT NELSON — treasurer

CKY BENTON — reporter

NISE BEHRENDS

MARK BRUEGEL

ROXANNE GABEL

CARA HIGGS

RHONDA HEATH

SCOTT NELSON

SANDI SCHINKUS

RICHARD SAUCEDA

CHAD THOMPSON

BRIDGET LOWE

MARIA FLORES

CARLA FRYE

MICHAEL LOVE

STACIE JACKSON

GREG SAVA

Library Aides

Rhonda Heath, Victor Valdez, Cassie Chavers, Martha Garcia, Rita Fuentes

Office Aides

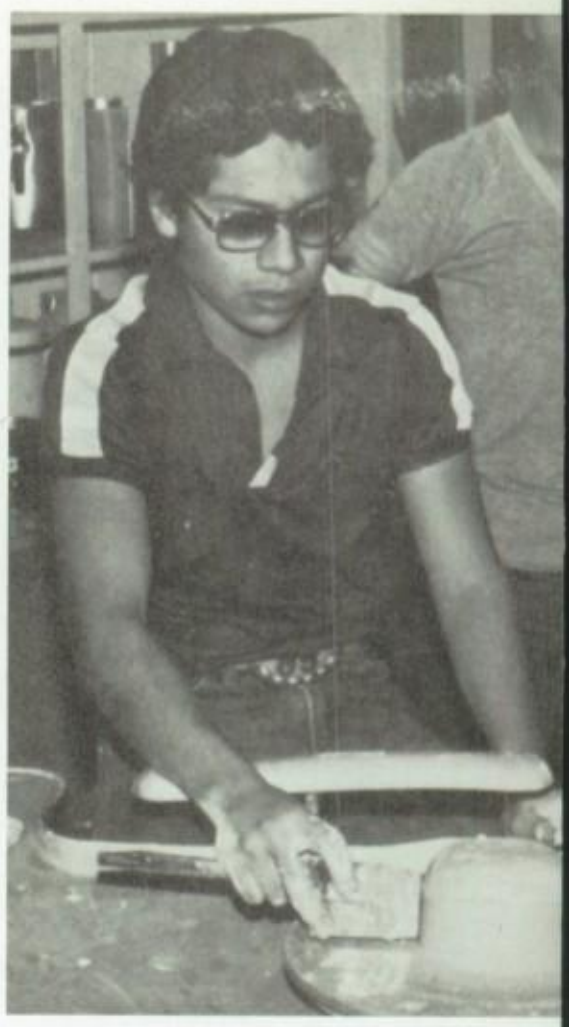
(1st row) Tobby Tischler, Tricia Touchstone, Vicki Fuentes **2nd** Mark Coker, Mark Bruegel, Connie Saenz **3rd** Jody Stone, Mary Flores

Our Lunchroom Ladies

Vergie Moulten, Lucille Odom, Rhoda Mays, Charlene Howell
Carol Phillips, Cora West

Our Custodians

Andres Navarro, Ramona Ramirez, Luis Pena



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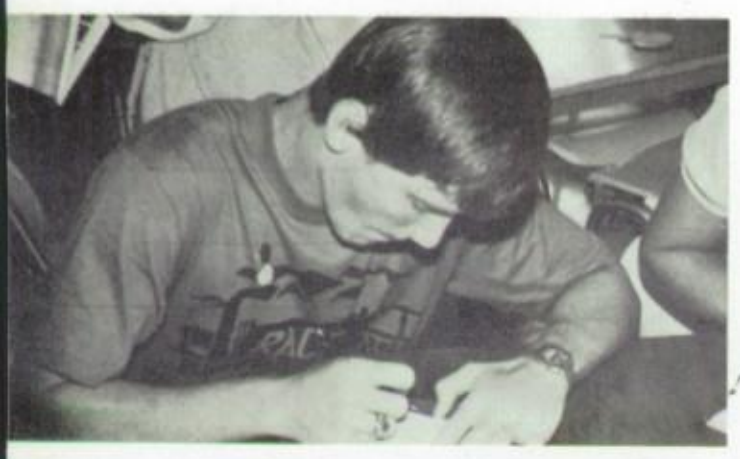

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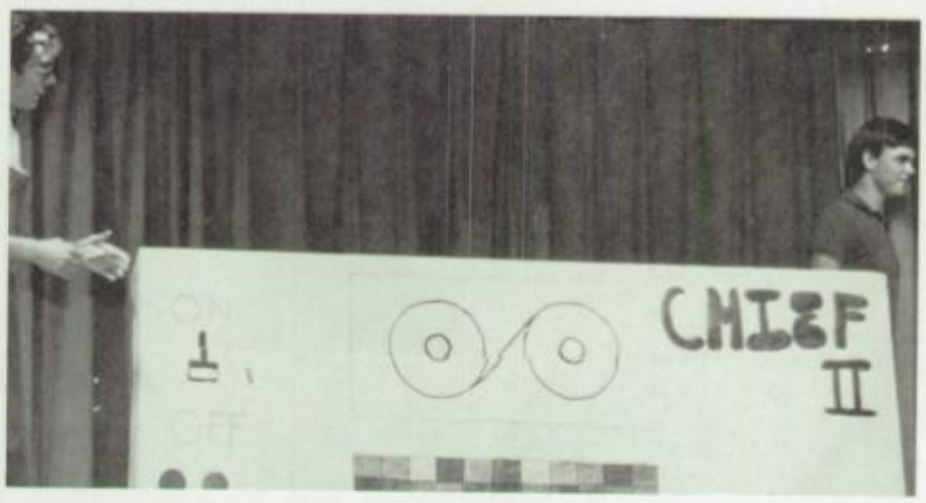
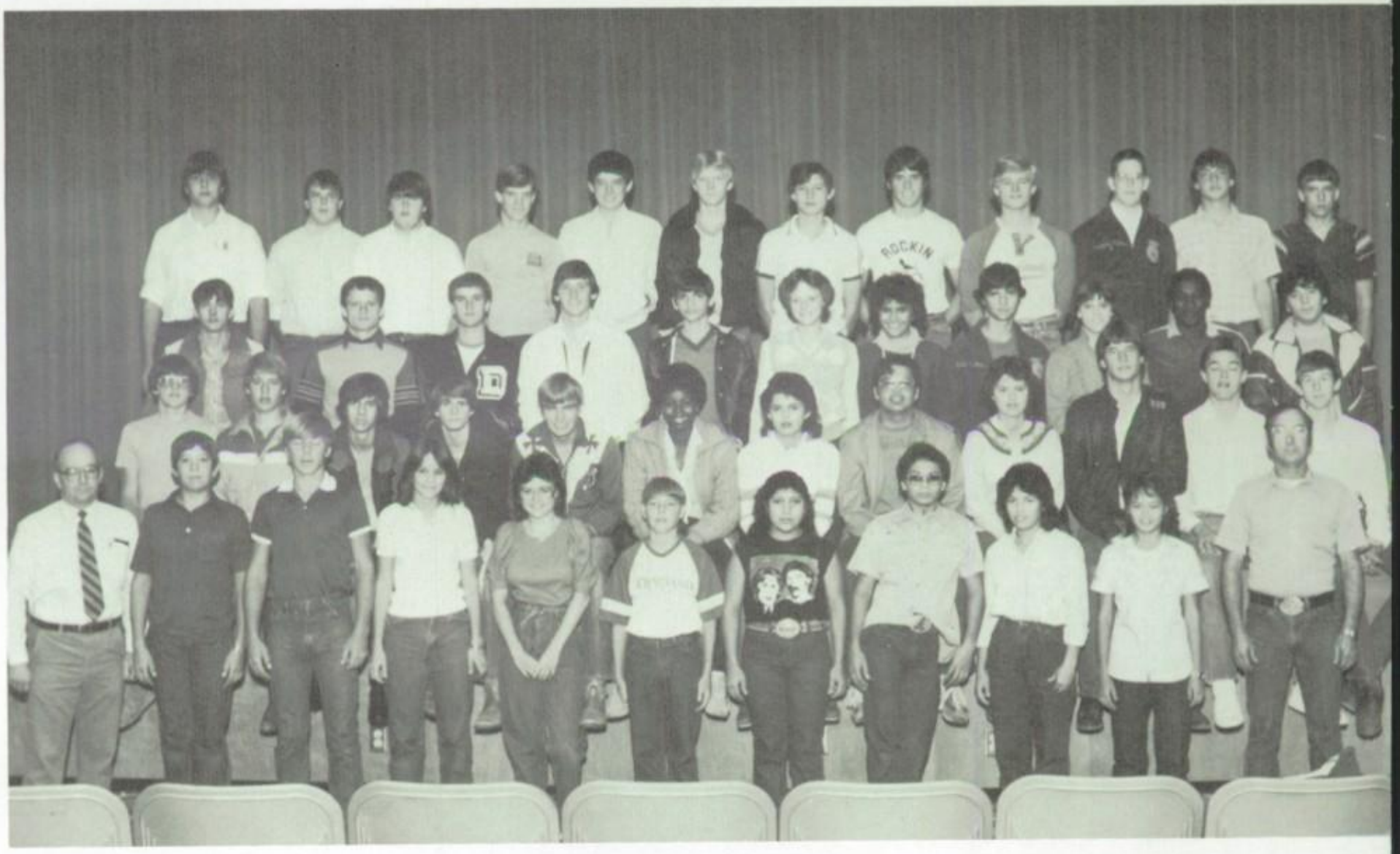


Industrial Arts 1983-84

The Dimmitt High School Industrial Arts Club is an organization of, by and for students presently enrolled or were enrolled in Industrial Arts courses. The club itself provides laboratory, research, experimental, organizational, and leadership activities for all active members. There are three major social activities which include a hamburger supper, Christmas supper, and an end of the year steak supper. Industrial Arts also has bake sales and give away projects for donations. There is an annual, state competition in Waco, Texas and the members will take their projects along with a 1965 Thunderbird that the club restored in the spring.

President — John Paul Spencer
Vice-President — Mike Stanford
Secretary — Debra Jordan
Treasurer — Tammy McMillan
Reporter — Joyce Schilling
Sgt. at Arms — David Stevens
Sweetheart — Robin Parks



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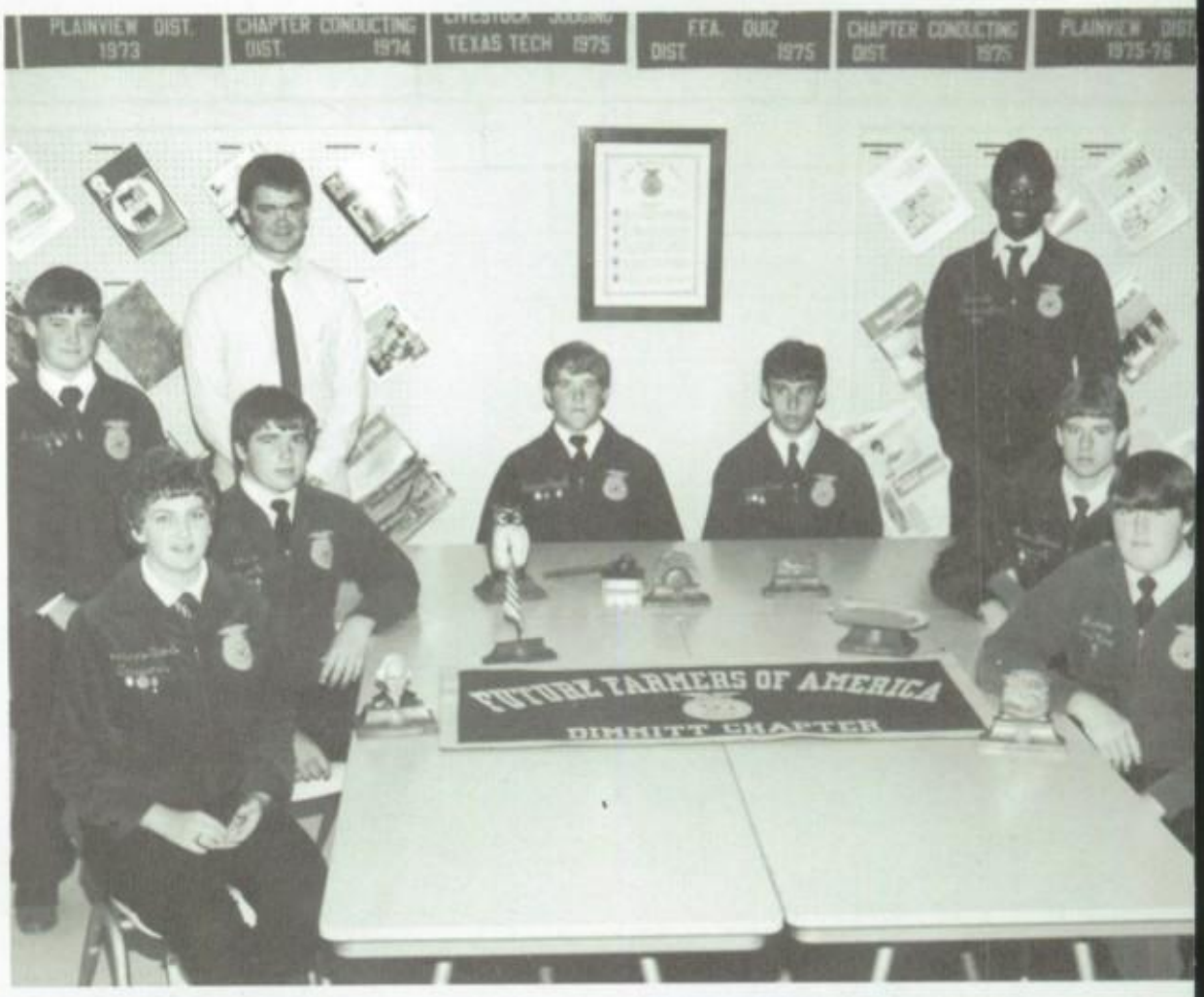
Industrial Arts Wins Big at State

Future Farmers of America

President — Kennen Howell
Vice-President — Brandon Cox
Secretary — Woody Glass
Treasurer — Roxanne Gable
Reporter — Bruce Bryant
Sentinel — Ricky McKay
Chaplain — Darrell Washington
Parliamentarian — Tod Bradley



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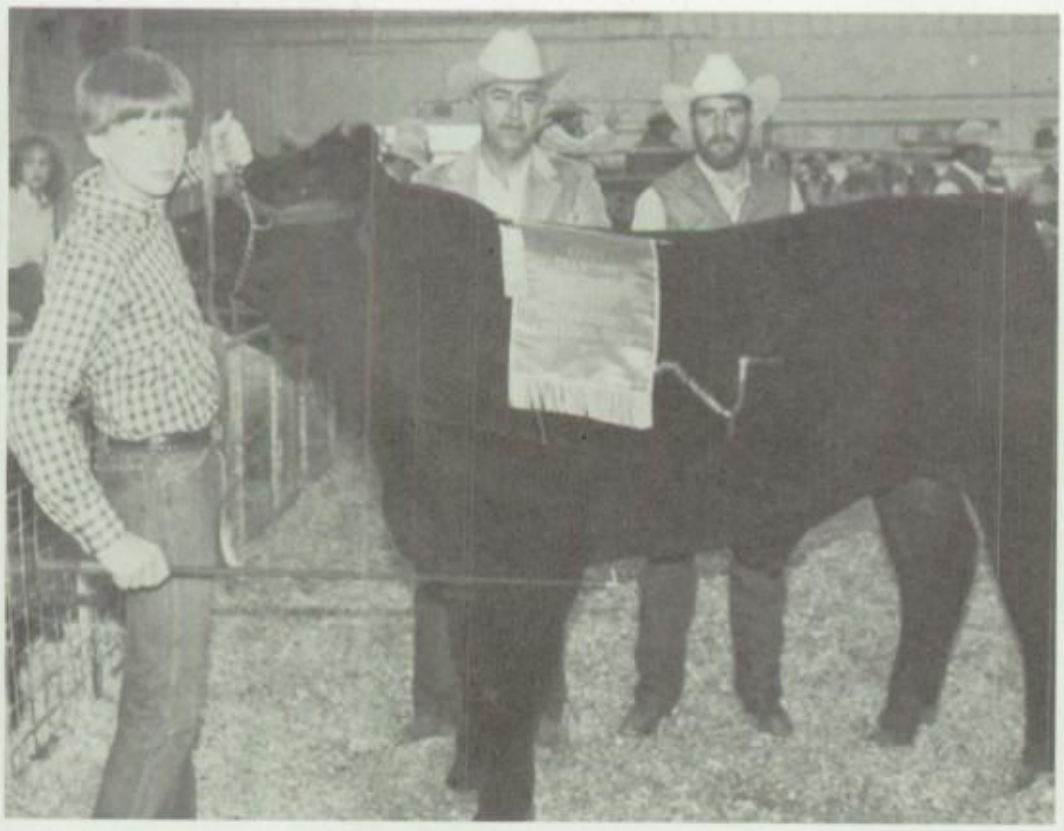


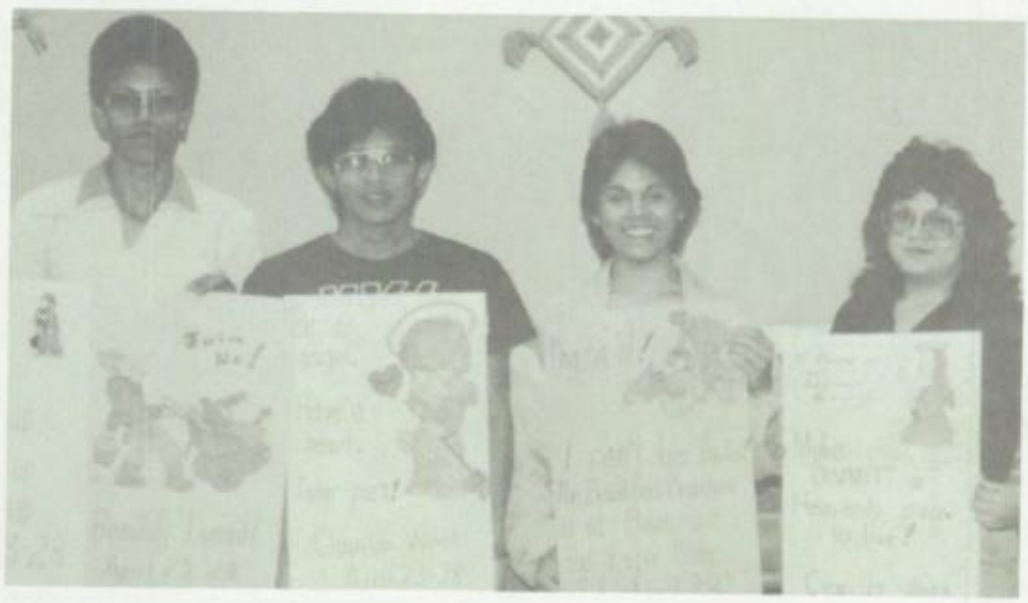
Art Club 1983-84

Art Club, a hard working organization at DHS, is very productive both in and out of school. The members have their own projects along with many community projects. This year they will paint a wall at Granny's Chicken and Biscuit and will also take a tour of the art department at Texas Tech.

President — Adrian Espinosa
Vice-President — Ricky Enriquez
Sec-Treas. — Mary Arce
Project Chairman — Karen Markley

1st Row: Amy VanNatta, Billy Reynolds, Joe Alvarez, Delia Arce, Danny Perez, Lucy Sebedra, Darler Howard, Sylvia Vasquez, Lisa Martinez. **2nd Row:** Cindy Jordan, Jason Garibaldi, Mary Cabrera, Lid Trigo, Theresa Ornales, Ricky Enriquez, Tammy Malone, Karen Markley, Jay Hopper, Hal Gilbreat Michael Wilkerson, Julio Fierro, Billy Martin. **3rd Row:** Janie Ramirez, Eloy Catano, Charlotte Zimmer, Olg Diaz, Priscilla Perez, Robert Barrios, Paul Herrera, Dwight McDonald, Alex Lopez, Douglas Garibaldi, Ton my Casas, Don Chavira. **4th Row:** Ray Sanchez, Vidal Perez, Frank Rodriguez, Sponsor — Sue Broderso Sotero Ramos, Adrian Espinosa, Mary Arce, Owen Viles, Charlie Perez, Johnny Lopez.

Club Activities



Office Education Association 1983-84

The Office Education Association of Dimmitt High School is a co-curricular organization. Many of their activities are integrated with their classwork. Annual activities include selling flowers for National Secretaries Week in the spring and an all-day field trip to a nearby city to observe businesses which implement the kinds of training the students are receiving in VOE. A service project is adopted each year also. The students participate in contests at the Youth Leadership Conference held each Winter.

President — Cara Higgs
Vice-President — Kim Booker
Secretary-Treasurer — Mary Arce
Reporter — Silvia Vasquez

1st Row: Sponsor — J'lyn Ryan, Cara Higgs, Juanita Velasquez, Kim Booker, Mary Arce. **2nd Row:** Ros Jimenez, Sylvia Vasquez, Lisa Martinez, Edna Cantu.

1983-84 Choir and Show Choir

Row — Delia Arce, Suzy Perez, Lisa Sanchez, Rhonda Heath, DeeDee Mullin, Albert Valdez, **Second** — Angie Catano, Lynn Roland, Sandy Chasco, Mary Ann Hernandez, Kathy Sanchez, Ray Sanchez. **Row** — Mary Sanchez, Darla Young, Kayla Jones, Dora Barrios, Rita Fuentes, Lydia Moreno, Eloy no.

Show Choir

(right to left)
Le Ann Webb
Isidra Teniente
Darla Young
Lynn Roland

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Key Club

President — Mark Bruegel
Vice-President — Greg Sava
Secretary — Denise Behrends
Treasurer — Debra Sava
Reporter — Kim Howell
Sergeant-at-Arms — Dwight McDonald

First Row — Mark Coker, Debra Sava, Anja Biester, Denise Smith, Whitney Warren, Cara Higgs, T Bradley, Jay Hopper, Scott Morris, Anessa Scott, Sue Crozier, Cinamon Cox, Cara Odom, Charlyn Hunter, Sue Howell — Sponsor. **Second Row** — Blake Brown, Roxanne Gable, Wade Elliot, Scott Sim son, Michael Love, Tricia Touchstone, Nathan Nelson, Kim Howell, Cyndi Marsh, Kelli Small, Joyce Sch ing, Todd Durham, Woody Glass, Kennen Howell, Robert Nelson, Kerry Lewis, Mark Smotherman. **Thi Row** — Billy Martin, Donna Behrends, Nina Moberg, Doug Nelson, Billy Patton, Ricky Henderson, Ric McKay, Karen Nelson, Lisa Nelson, Ben Benton, Stephanie Ryan, Becky Benton, Denise Behrends, Bra don Cox, Bruce Bryant, Mark Standlee, Chad Smithson. **Fourth Row** — Gary Leatherwood, Owen Vil Dwight McDonald, Scott Nelson, Hal Gilbreath, Pat McDonald, Stephen Bagley, Greg Sava, Scott Ha David Barton, Brett Sheffy, Mark Shackleford, Eric Stump, Todd Braafladt, Scott Hill, Mark Bennet.

The 1983-84 Key Club made many contributions to its school and community. Throughout the school year, they served meals on wheels, kept the marquee up to date, and helped the Kiwanis Club with their activities. They sponsored a food drive and a blood drive at the high school, as well as a dance. Donations were made to the AFS program, the Tracy Hatla fund, and to the Presidential Classroom. Each year the club participates in slave day, when its members work for various Dimmitt business for 1 day to raise money for its program.

1983-84 Twirlers and Drum Majors

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1983-84 Varsity Bobcat Cheerleaders

SPONSORS: FIVE-POINT FARMERS GIN AND FLAGG FARMERS GIN

Interact

President — Julie Reeve
Vice President — Chad Thompson
Secretary — Stacie Jackson
Treasurer — Kyla Boozer
Reporter — Lori Potts
Sergeant-at-Arms — Nathan Nelson

Front Row — Tiffany Braafladt, Jamie Reeve, Keri Collins, Camille Summers, Brenda Daniel, Sharl Richards, Jacky Spinhirne, Brenda Schinkus, Sheryl Simpson, Jacalyn Thompson. **Second Row** — Dwigh McDonald, Chad Thompson, Hal Gilbreath, Robby Hottel, Nathan Nelson, Vanessa Pigg, Amy Downing Julie Reeve, Sandi Schinkus, Kim Booker, Krystal Scott, Yvonna Vanstory, Sponsor. **Third Row** — Jo Porter, Stephanie Killingsworth, LeAndy Lynn, Sonccia Tischler, Darrel Washington, Becky Schroeder Carla Sheffy, Jill Smith, Molly Gay Waggoner, Vonda Richards. **Fourth Row** — Tobby Tischler, Bra Holcomb, Stacie Jackson, Brett Sheffy, Kyla Boozer, David Barton, Lori Potts, Scott Blackwell, Jeff Butler.

Interact is a service organization for high school students and is sponsored by the Rotary Club. Projects for this year included dances, a food drive, and a bake sale. Contributions were made to charities and the AFS fund. They helped the Rotary Club pay for 2 boys to go to Camp Ryla in New Mexico. Interact created Castro County's longest banana split and had a year-end party.

The 1983-84 Flag Corps

(Clockwise from top), Karen Nelson, Jackie Spinhirne, Stephanie Killingsworth, Kim Gleghorn, Tiffany Braafladt, Laura Nelson, Lisa Nelson, Sonccia Tischler, Lori Potts, Jodi Stone, Shellie Proffitt, Stephanie Ryan, Sue Crozier, Jan Nelson, Jill Nelson, Sheryl Simpson, Susanne Ward, Brenda Schinkus, Amy Downing, LeAndy Lynn

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The 1983-84 Dimmitt High School Bobcat Band

Alan Armstrong, Steven Bagley, Kay Ballard, Mimi Barrera, Yvette Barrera, David Barton, Denise Behrends, Donna Behrends, Amy Bennight, Becky Benton, Ben Benton, Anja Biester, Scott Blackwell, Kyla Boozer, Tiffany Braafladt, Todd Braafladt, Tod Bradley, Blake Brown, Becky Casas, Tommy Casas, Kerri Collins, Sue Crozier, Vickie Davilla, Matt Davis, Amy Downing, Wade Elliot, Mary Faulkner, Susie Flores, Carla Frye, Vicky Fuentes, Roxanne Gabel, Delia Garcia, Kim Gleghorn, Norma Gonzales, John Green, Becki Gregory, Shirley Hanson, Laura Hargrove, Scott Hays, Ricky Henderson, Mandy Higgs. Scott Hill, Robby Hottel, Darlene Howard, Kim Howell, Stacie Jackson, Teresa Jurado, Stephanie Killingsworth, Kerry Lewis, Ronna Lewis, Lupe Lopez, Lydia Lopez, Mike Love, LeAndy Lynn, Nathan Malone, Tammy Malone, Karen Markley, Cindy Martinez, Chris Miller, Nina Moberg, Scott Morris, Jan Nelson, Jill Nelson, Joel Nelson, Karen Nelson, Laura Nelson, Lisa Nelson, Nathan Nelson, Robert Nelson, Bobby Nino, Cindi Nutt, Cara Odom, Arnold Ortiz, Mary Ortiz, James Parker, Robin Parks, Arnold Peralez, Vanessa Pigg, Joe Porter, Lori Potts, Shellie Proffitt, Melissa Qunitero, Janie Ramirez. Raul Ramos, Jamie Reeve, Julie Reeve, Darla Rials, Sharla Richards, Jerry Rickert, Stephanie Ryan, Angie Salinas, Debra Sava, Joyce Schilling, Brenda Schinkus, Anessa Scott, Brett Sheffy, Scott Simpson, Sheryl Simpson, Tim Sims, Kelli Small, Denise Smith, Chad Smithson, Norma Soler, Jackie Spinhirne, Jodie Stone, Camille Summers, Chad Thompson, Jacalyn Thompson, Sonccia Tischler, Tobby Tischler, Tricia Touchstone, Amy Van Natta, Juanita Velasquez, Owen Viles, Holly Waggoner, Molly Waggoner, Susanne Ward, Whitney Warren, Kim Washington, Tammie Washington, LeAnne Webb, Tama West, Dirk Wright.

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VOCCT

President — Rosie Vasquez
Vice President — Jimmy Glover
Secretary — Suzanne Mirelez
Treasurer — Dora Barrios
Reporter — Esmer Villareal
Sergeant-at-Arms — Junior Hernandez
Parliamentarian — Jose Mendoza

Front Row — Sue Howell — Sponsor, Esmeralda Villareal, Oralia Franco, Olga Diaz, Suzanne Mire Isabelle Luna. **Second Row** — Josie Molina, Dora Barrios, Esmer Espinosa, Betty Ellis, Nellie Ramirez, B Vasquez. **Third Row** — Jose Mendoza, Ruben Espinosa, Tony Lara, Mike Aranda, Noe Lara, Junior H nandez. **Fourth Row** — Moricio Martinez, Jody Short, Sotero Ramos, Leo Vera, Jimmy Glover, Joe Sanc Julian Saenz

Spanish Club

President — Mary Arce
Vice-President — Delia Arce
Secretary-Treasurer — Maria Sanchez

nt Row — Susie Perez, Martha Garcia, Luz Garcia, Mary Faulkner, Gloria Hernandez, Suzanne Mirelez, i Barrera, Diane Balderas, Maria Sanchez, Lisa Sanchez, Olivia Lopez, Isabell Luna, Donna Dominguez, e Parker — Sponsor. **Second Row** — Gloria Lopez, Kathy Sanchez, Mary Flores, Delia Arce, Mary Ann nandez, Betty Ellis, Vickie Fuentes, Lamar Salinas, Elizabeth Garcia, Connie Saenz, Tammy Washington, Fuentes, Edna Cantu, Adela Silva. **Third Row** — Jacinto Lopez, Danny Perez, Janie Ramirez, Becky Gon-s, Sammy Mendez, Lydia Lopez, Lisa Martinez, Joe Granado, Mary Cabrera, Teresa Ornales, Lidia Trigo, lene Nino. **Fourth Row** — Junior Hernandez, Jesus Yanes, Vidal Perez, Mary Ortiz, Arnold Ortiz, Frank riquez, Mary Arce, Adrian Espinosa, Jerry Martinez, Cruz Arce, Rachel Lara, Isidra Teniente.

1983-84 Varsity Girls' Basketball Team

(Standing) — Becky Benton, Jill Smith, Kim Howell, Tammy Washington, Tobby Tischler, Julie Reeve, Bridget Lowe, Becky Schroeder, Holly Waggoner, Kim Booker, Stacie Jackson, Shirley Hanson.
(Kneeling) — Head Coach Lyman Schroeder, Manager LeAndy Lynn, Coach Ken Nordell.

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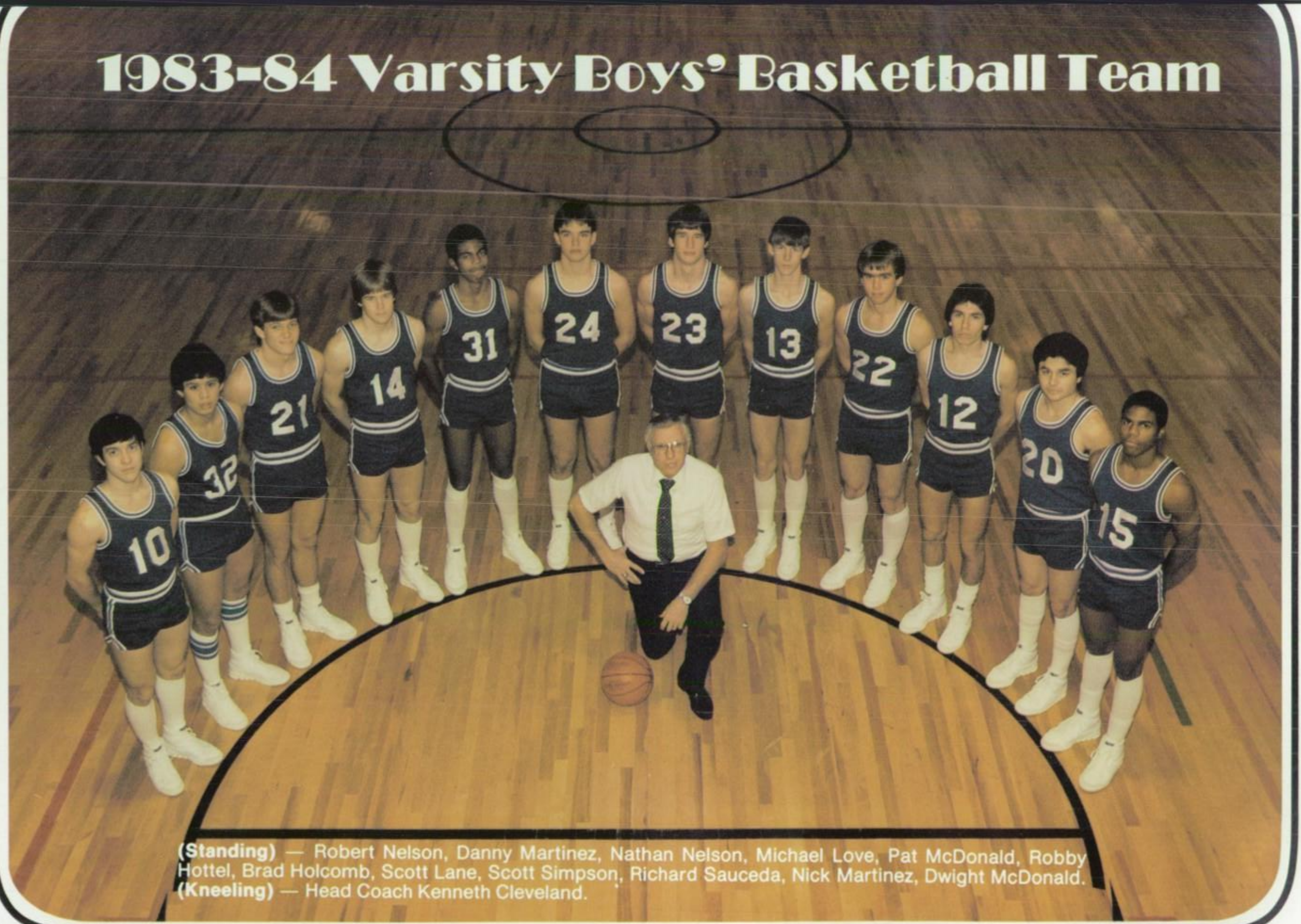
1983-84 Varsity Boys' Basketball Team



(Standing) — Robert Nelson, Danny Martinez, Nathan Nelson, Michael Love, Pat McDonald, Robby Hottel, Brad Holcomb, Scott Lane, Scott Simpson, Richard Sauceda, Nick Martinez, Dwight McDonald.
(Kneeling) — Head Coach Kenneth Cleveland.

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Future Homemakers

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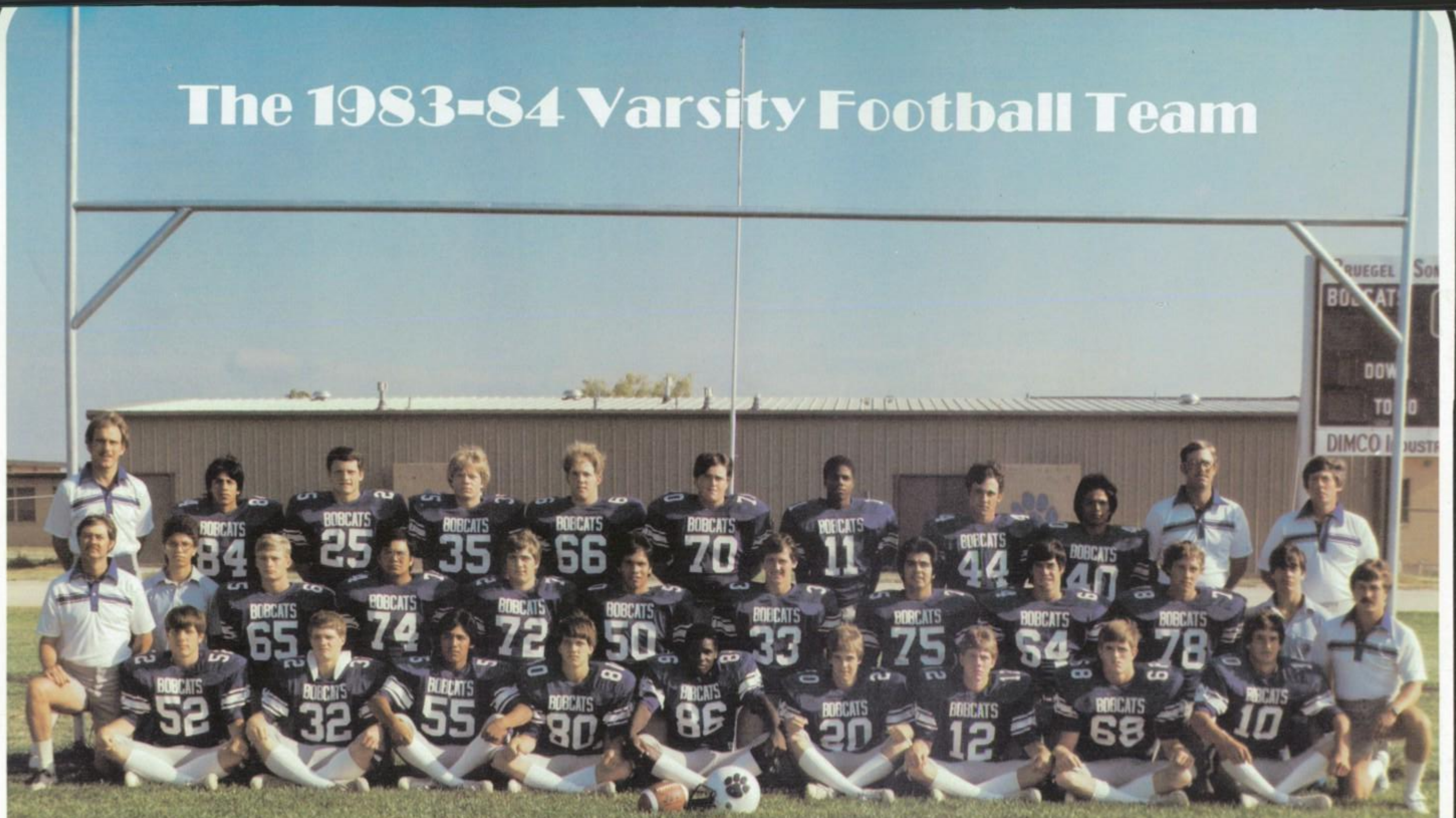
The 1983-84 Varsity Football Team



First Row: Greg Sava, Mark Smothermon, Cruz Arce, Doug Nelson, Darrell Washington, Mike Love, Woody Glass, Scott Nelson, Brad Holcomb. **Second Row:** Coach George Rasor, Mike Trevino-Mgr., Mike Stanford, Bobby Nino, Bruce Bryant, Charlie Perez, David Barton, Corky Esquivel, Mal Gilbreath, Leland Creek, David Mohon-Mgr., Coach Jim Curlee. **Third Row:** Coach Alan Stienle, Vidal Perez, Mark Bruegel, Mark Coker, Kennen Howell, Ricky McKay, Dwight McDonald, Brandon Cox, Joe Alvarez, Coach Ken Nordell, Head Coach Gene Griffin.

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Our Visitor and Friend, Nina

When my mother, who was the first A.F.S. student in Dimmitt in 1960-61, told me that she was going to send me here I didn't really know what to think. The first thing that came to my mind was that it was going to be for such a long time and the whole thing kind of scared me. But then I thought it would be a lot of fun, and that it has been.

I don't know how to thank y'all enough. It has just been wonderful! When I first got here I was afraid of everything and very shy. I hardly ever said a word, but everybody was so friendly and helpful that I soon started to feel like at home.

Staying with the Holcomb family this year has been a good experience! I don't have an older brother at home, but now I know what it's like after having Brad! Dickie has been a wonderful mother, although we were more like sisters. We always had a great time wherever we went!

Again I don't know how to thank everybody enough for the wonderful year you have given me. I just know that this is something I will remember for the rest of my life!

Hej da!
(Bye)
Nina Moberg — Finland

U.I.L. Regional Qualifiers

Mary Flores
Shorthand

Debra Sava
Feature Writing

Brandon Cox
Ready Writing

Science Fair

Sue Crozier
1st — Microbiology
Runner up — Best project at the fair.
Certificates awarded from:
Marine Corps
Air Force
Army
Medical Association

Kyla Boozer
1st — Physics
Certificates awarded from:
Junior Engineering Association
Marine Corps

Student Senate 1983-84

"A² = Aptitude for better Attitude" has been the Student Council theme this year to promote and maintain school spirit, to provide a medium of exchange among students and to establish student cooperation and participation in the government of Dimmitt High School. Student Council, the elected representatives of the student body, begins in early August to plan activities DHS students enjoy throughout the year. Major activities this year include Freshmen orientation, all-school orientation assemblies, Homecoming, Basketball Spirit Week, Fun Day, Multi-Media Assembly, and the Christmas film.

President — Chad Thompson
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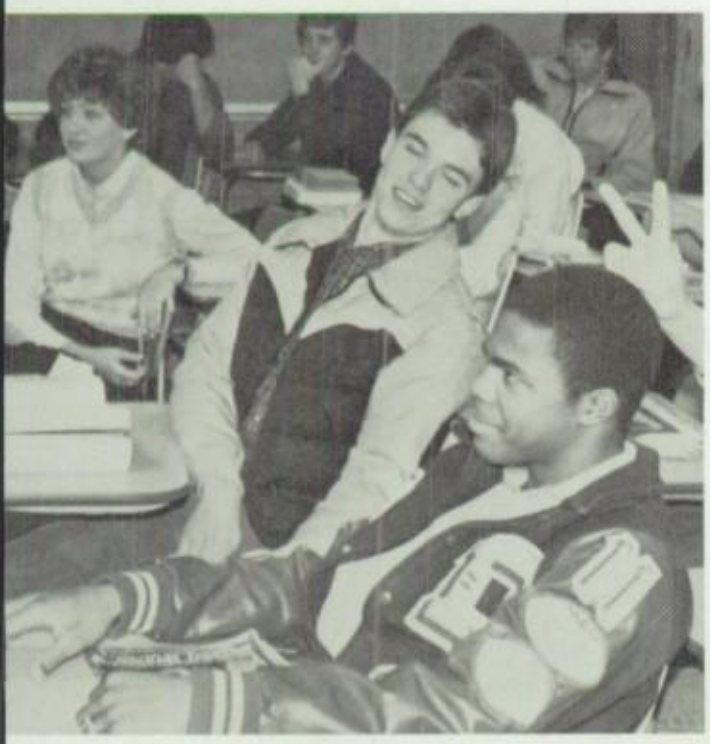
1st Row: Brett Sheffy, Tim Sims, Bobby Martinez, Todd Durham. **2nd Row:** Anessa Scott, Stephanie Ryan RoxAnne Gable, Anja Biester, Nina Moberg, Sponsor — Robin Jackson. **3rd Row:** Scott Hill, Greg Sava Dwight McDonald, Mark Breugel, Nathan Nelson, Woody Glass. **4th Row:** Chad Thompson, Michael Love Todd Braafladt, Owen Viles, Robby Hottel, Sponsor — Dana Beck.



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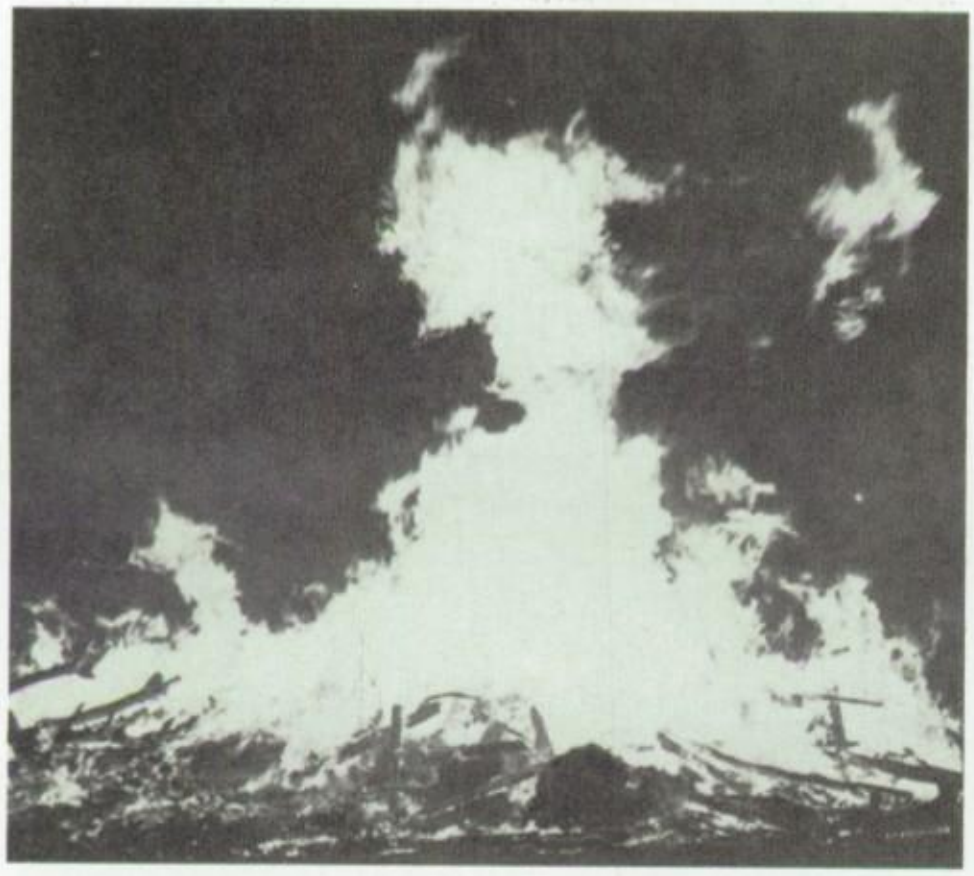

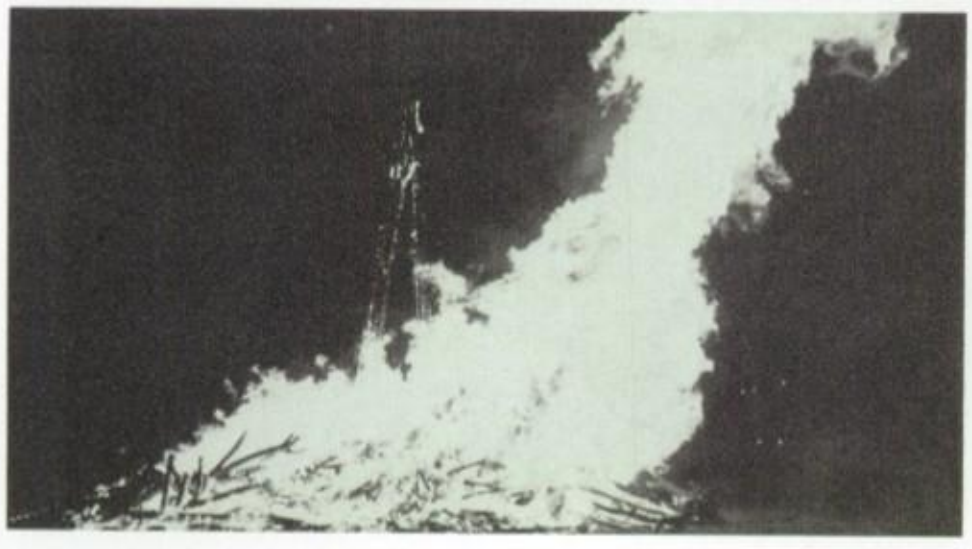

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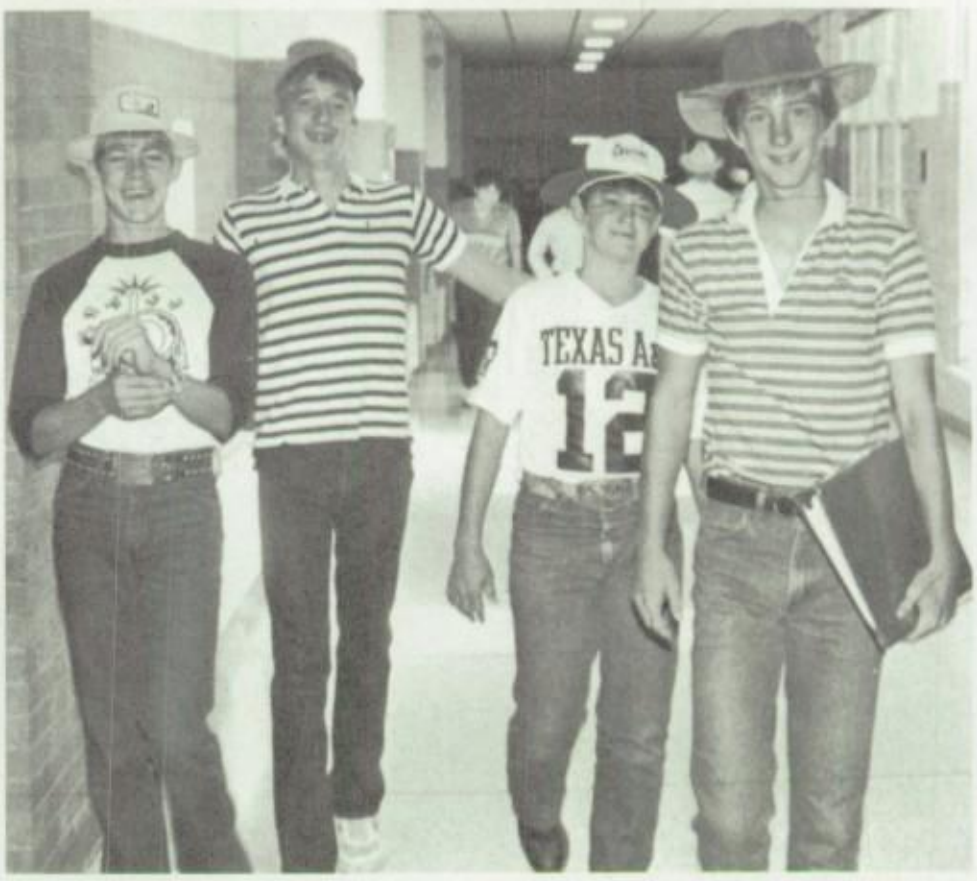


Bobcats Have Tough Tim

BRAD HOLCOMB
TE/DB

DWIGHT McDONALD
QB/DB

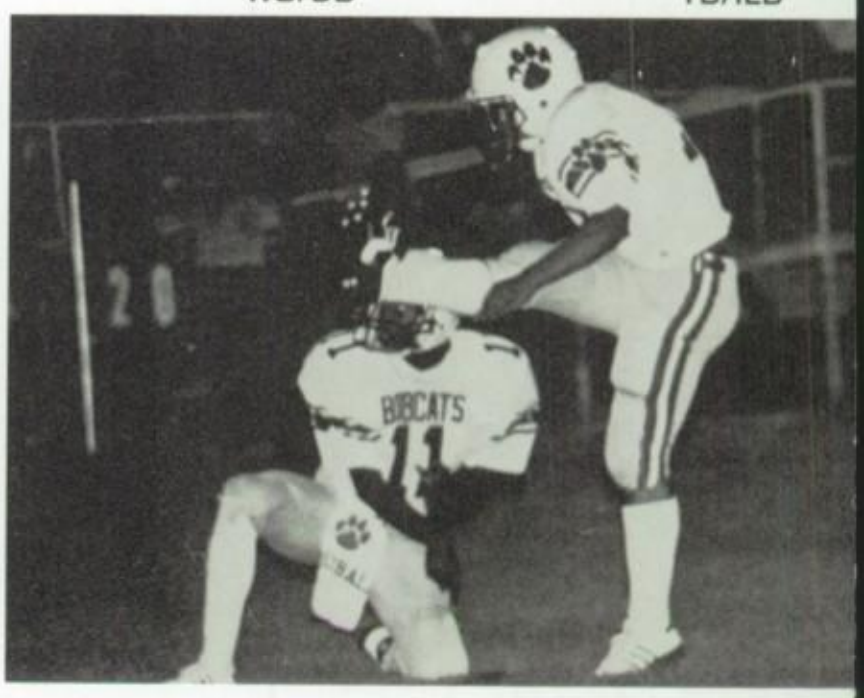
WOODY GLASS
QB/OLB

MICHAEL LOVE
WB/DB

MARK BRUEGEL
TB/ILB

1983 Season

We		They
13	Floydada	20
55	Plains	0
16	River Road	0
35	Olton	0
21	Boys' Ranch	0
0	Littlefield	28
0	Muleshoe	30
10	Friona	23
3	Tulia	6
0	Abernathy	21



CHARLIE PEREZ
G/ILB

GREG SAVA
C/ILB

CRUZ ARCE
C/E

HAL GILBREATH
G/E

MIKE STANFORD
G/ILB

Finish With 4-6 Season

ARK SMOTHERMAN
FB/E

DAVID BARTON
TB/DB

MARK COKER
WB/DB

JOE ALVAREZ
WB/DB

BRANDON COX
FB/ILB

hael, where are you going? The fun just ted!

You'll never stop us now!

KENNEN HOWELL
G/T

SCOTT NELSON
T/OLB

RICKY McKAY
C/T

BRUCE BRYANT
T/T

BOBBY NINO
T/T

CORKY ESQUIVEL
T/T

LELAND CREEK
T/OLB

DOUG NELSON
TE/E

DARRELL WASHINGTON
TE/T

A Tribute

In the dictionary he is described as a trainer of athletes. He is a man with a job. He must be a ruthless dictator at one moment, and a friend the next. He draws sweat and blood but, he also draws respect. He must collect and analyze the data he needs and make a decision. If he makes the wrong decision, his team might lose, a wise decision could bring a win. His teams sink or sail because of his decisions. Players fear him. Players also respect him.

He is mighty, he is strong, he is a COACH.

He commands discipline. He must find a way to get his players ready for a game. He must reach into himself and find that spark that will light his players' fire. If they have not lived up to his expectations, he has to show his hidden side — and try to strike fear into his team. He is a professor of sports. Some like him, some don't. He must live with that.

He is Jekyll, he is Hyde, he is COACH.

In this world where sports are looked at almost as a religion, he must pretend to be a god. He is worshipped if he wins — and cursed if he loses. His moves are questioned if unsuccessful by every parent and fan who ever saw a game. He is under scrutiny every time he steps on a field. One minute a man shakes his hand, the next, the man talks about him behind his back.

He is flexible, he is harsh, he is COACH.

What makes him tick? Why must he choose this profession, when he could be getting paid more elsewhere? What qualities must he possess? He must be alert. He often has to make decisions in the flash of an eye. He must know what is going on at all times.

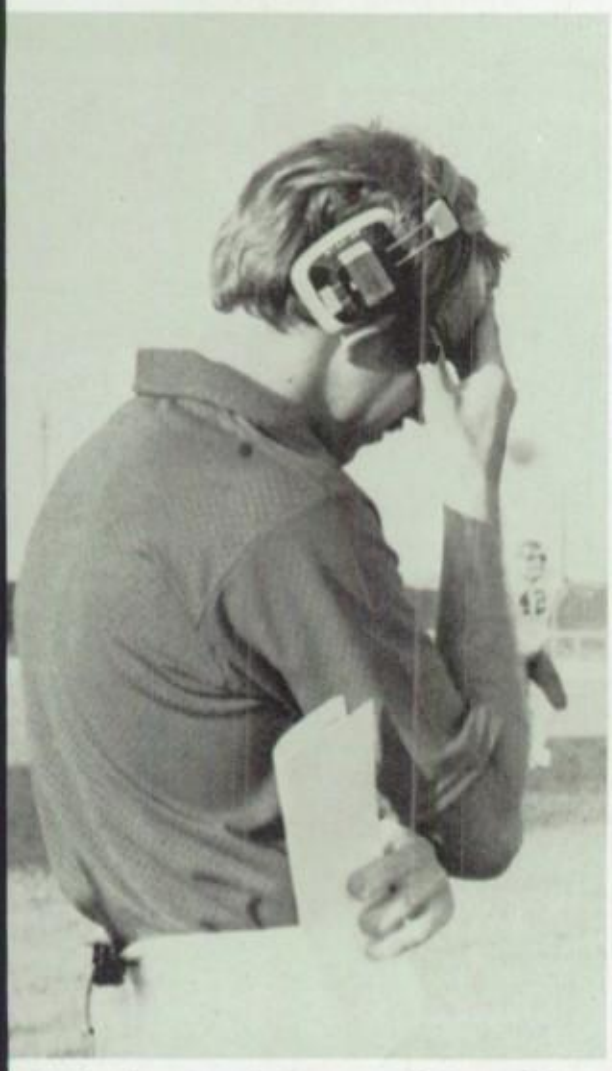
He is firm, he is intelligent, he is COACH.

He chooses this profession because he loves it. likes to teach his players what he was taught when played. It won't make him rich, but it is a living.

But in this man of many personalities lies a heart soul just like any other person. No bigger. He is b both mentally and physically like any other man. H no god, just a man with a job.

He is good, he is sensitive, he is human.

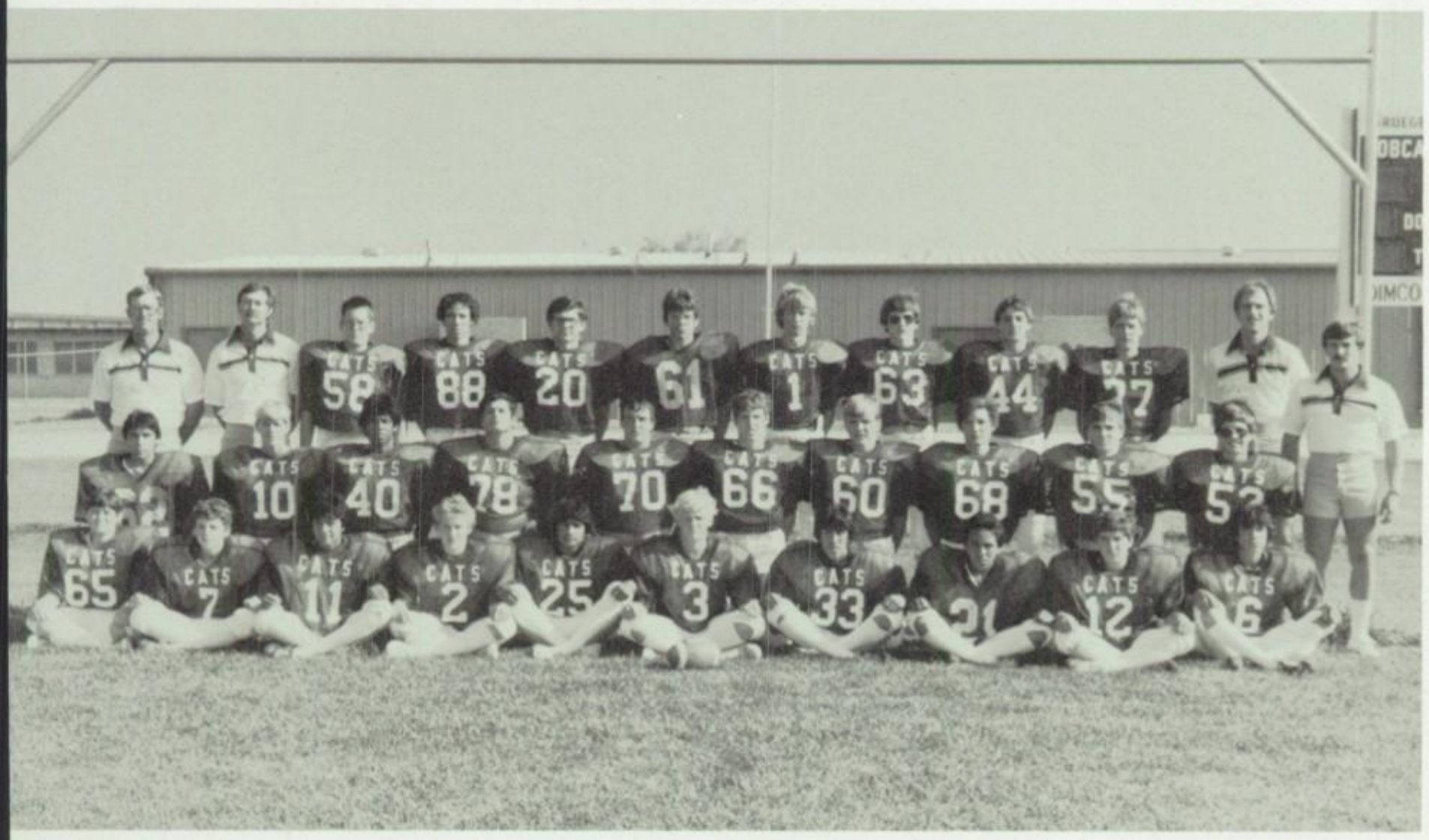
JV Gains Experience



Is it that bad, Coach Stienle?

Well chaps, we're doing bloody well!

AWESOME!



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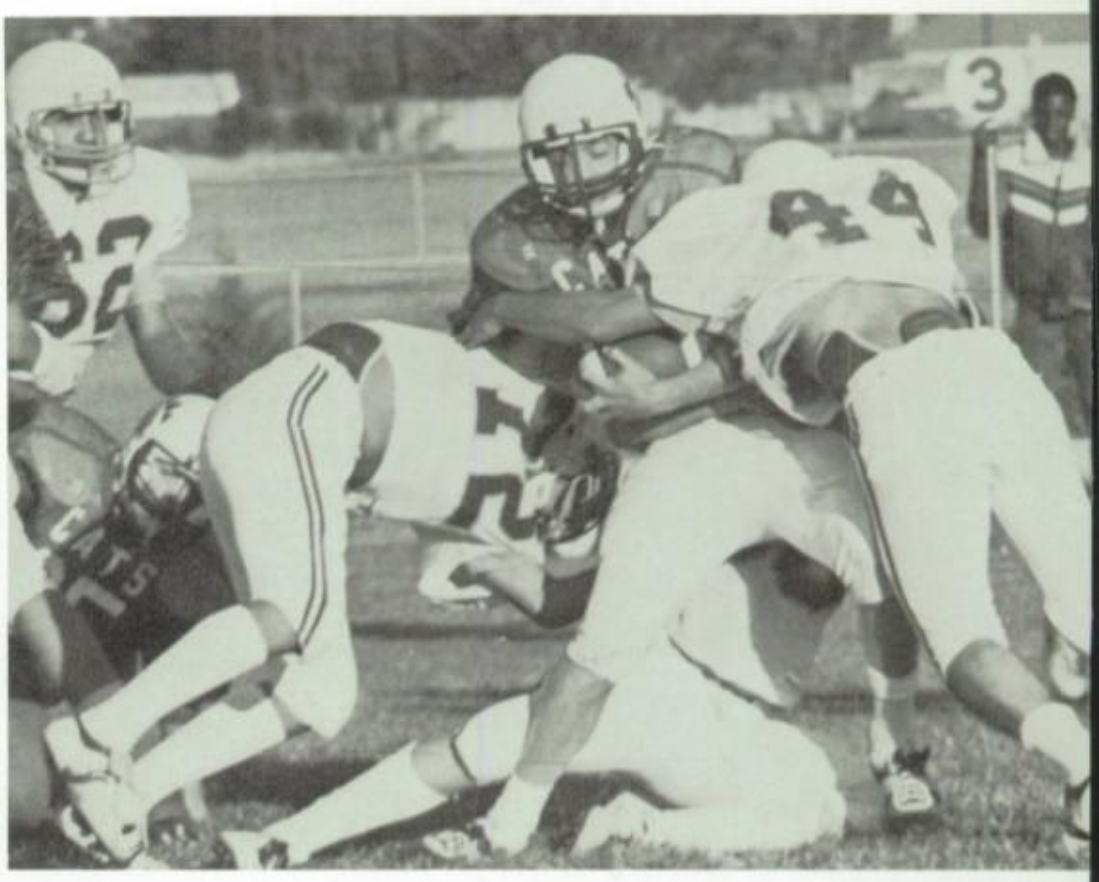
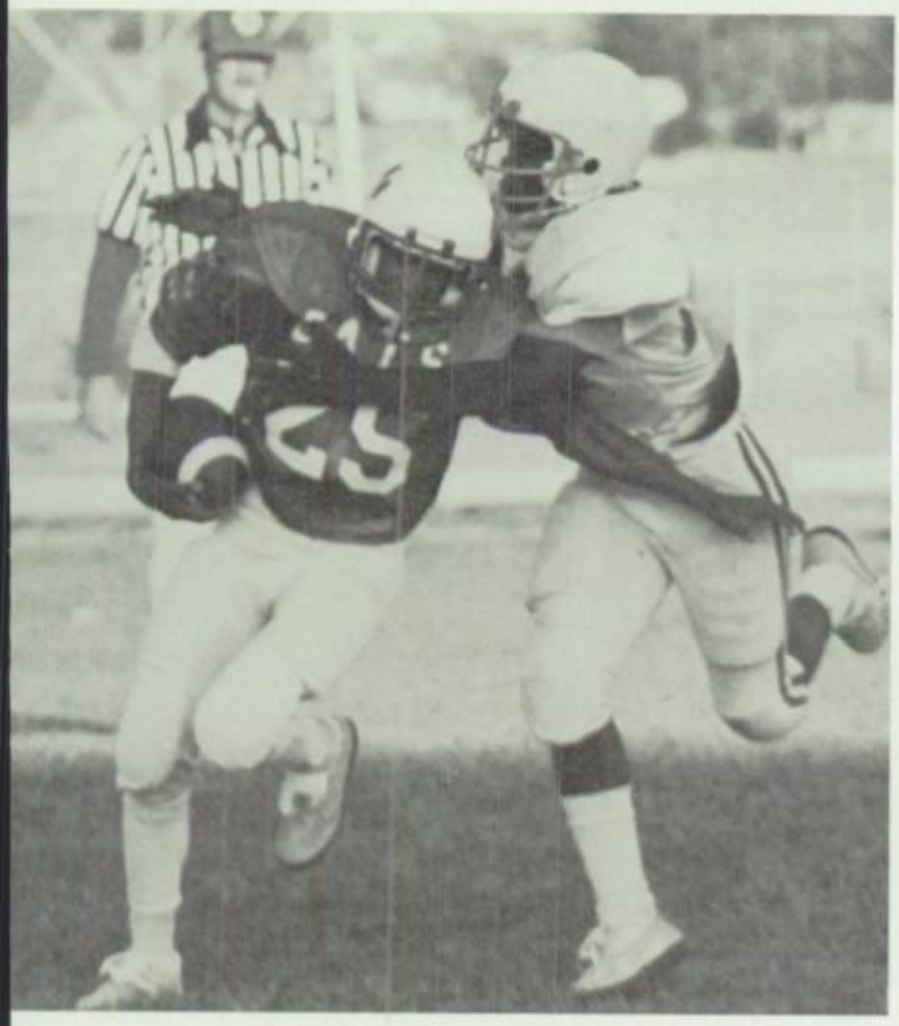
I feel good, oh I feel so good!



We		They
0	Floydada	14
14	Springlake	6
2	River Road	12
42	Olton	6
18	Boys' Ranch	7
6	Littlefield	28
0	Muleshoe	26
6	Friona	28
6	Tulia	20
0	Abernathy	2

Don't worry Coach, they'll never get the ball!



Bobcats Have Season

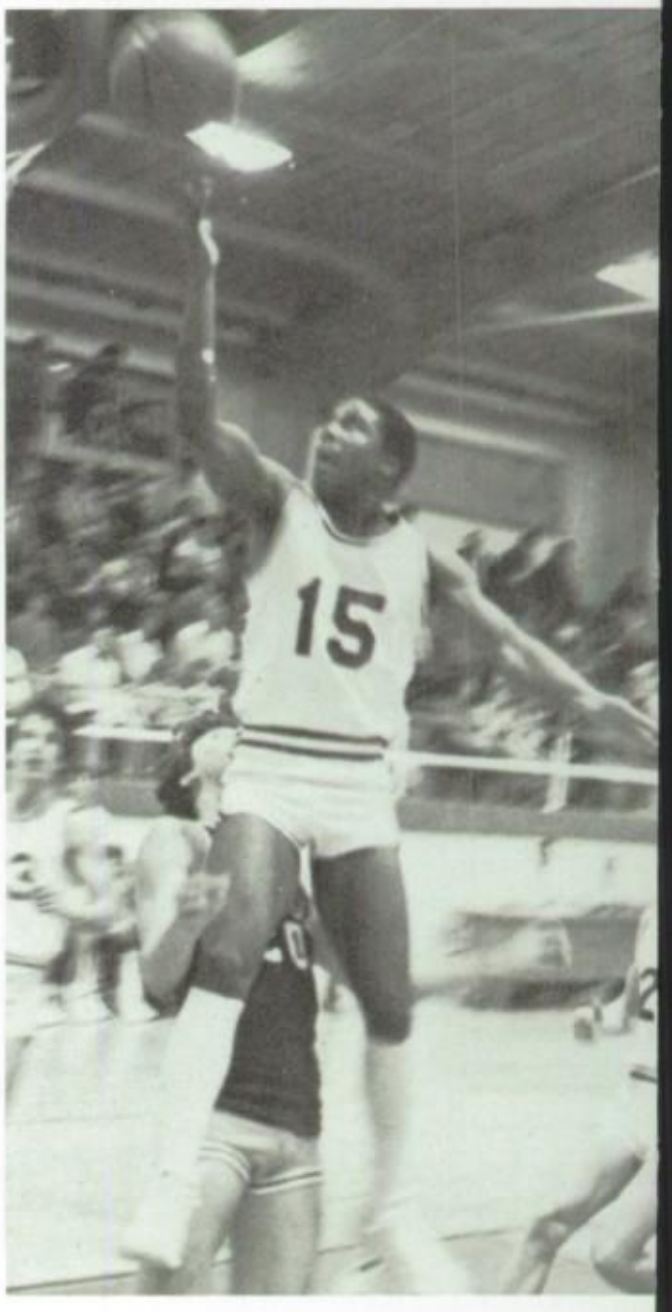
It's party time, Coach Cleveland's 600th WIN!

Nick is ready for the rebound.

1983-84 Season
20-14

We		They
51	Lubbock Dunbar	49
46	Hereford	61
98	Petersburg	44
63	Slaton	44
59	Amarillo Caprock	69
55	Plainview	63
50	Canyon	48
47	Levelland	55
79	Slaton	34
62	Shallowater	65
85	Canadian	33
62	Kermit	44
37	Lubbock Coronado	58
51	Odessa High	56
55	Morton	67
88	Lockney	42
75	L.C.H.S.	46
45	Abernathy	46
46	Littlefield	47
93	Tulia	56
62	Friona	48
60	Muleshoe	50
54	Abernathy	55
62	Littlefield	43
52	Tulia	56
73	Friona	51
80	Muleshoe	53
84	Bovina	61
47	Borger	51
69	Spearman	57
61	Idalou	47
59	Crane	50
63	Abernathy	61
59	New Boston	60

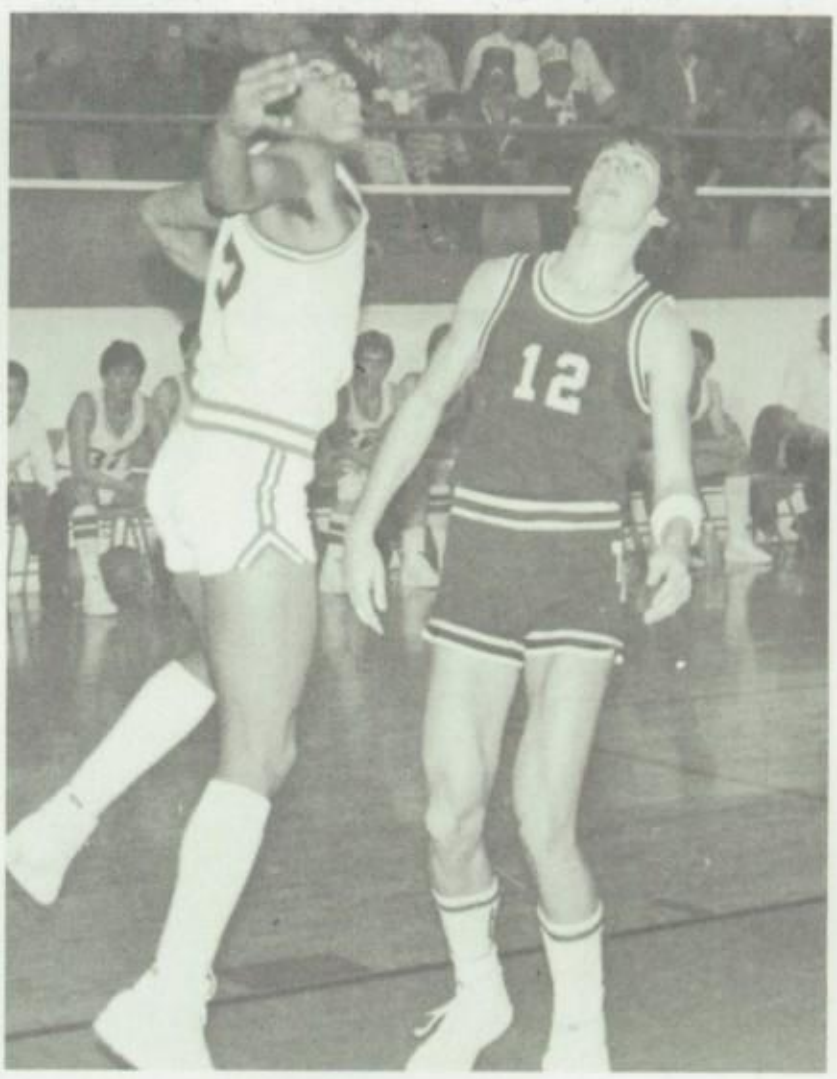
Dwight's magic touch adds 2!



To Remember

Today Pat, tomorrow Dr. Mc!

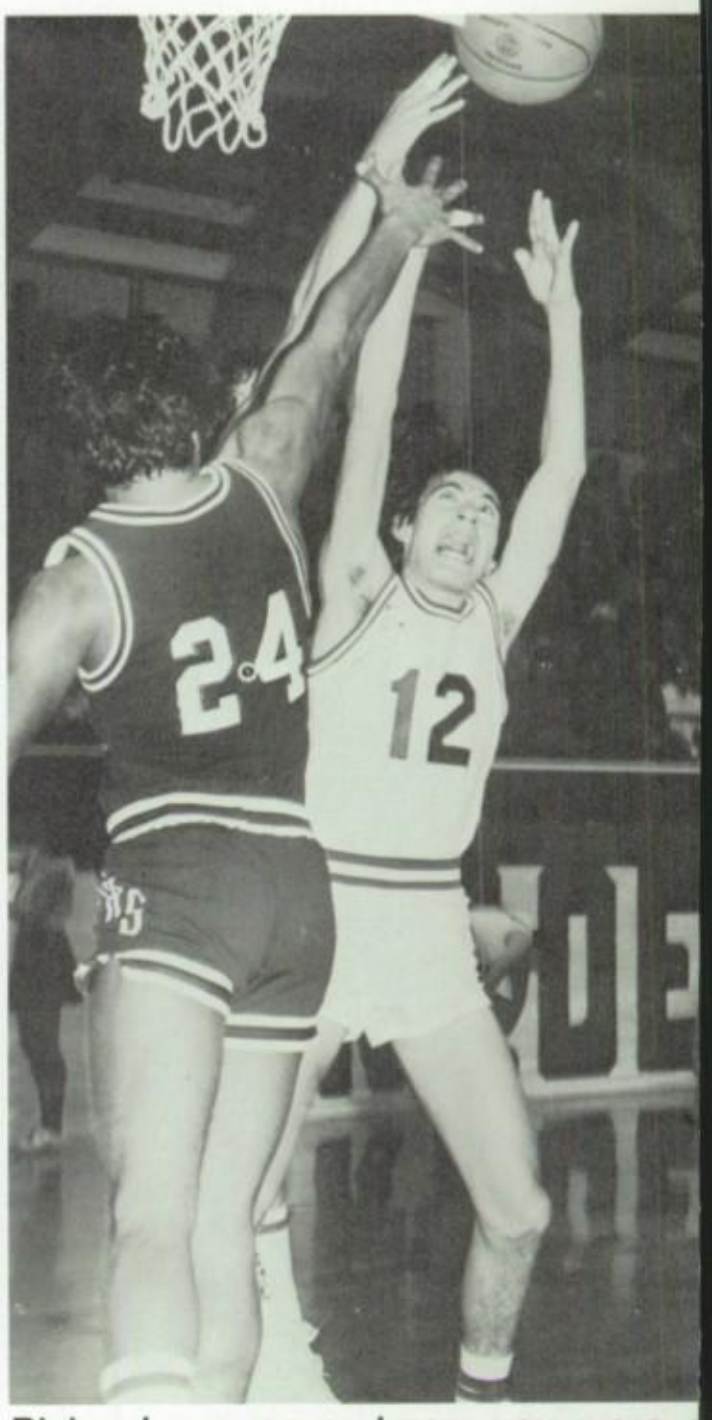
Richard can scream and do lay-ups at the same time!



ichael you look
termined!

Smile for the camera Robert!

It's a bird, It's a plane, No it's just Pat!



Richard, we never knew you were s ferocious!

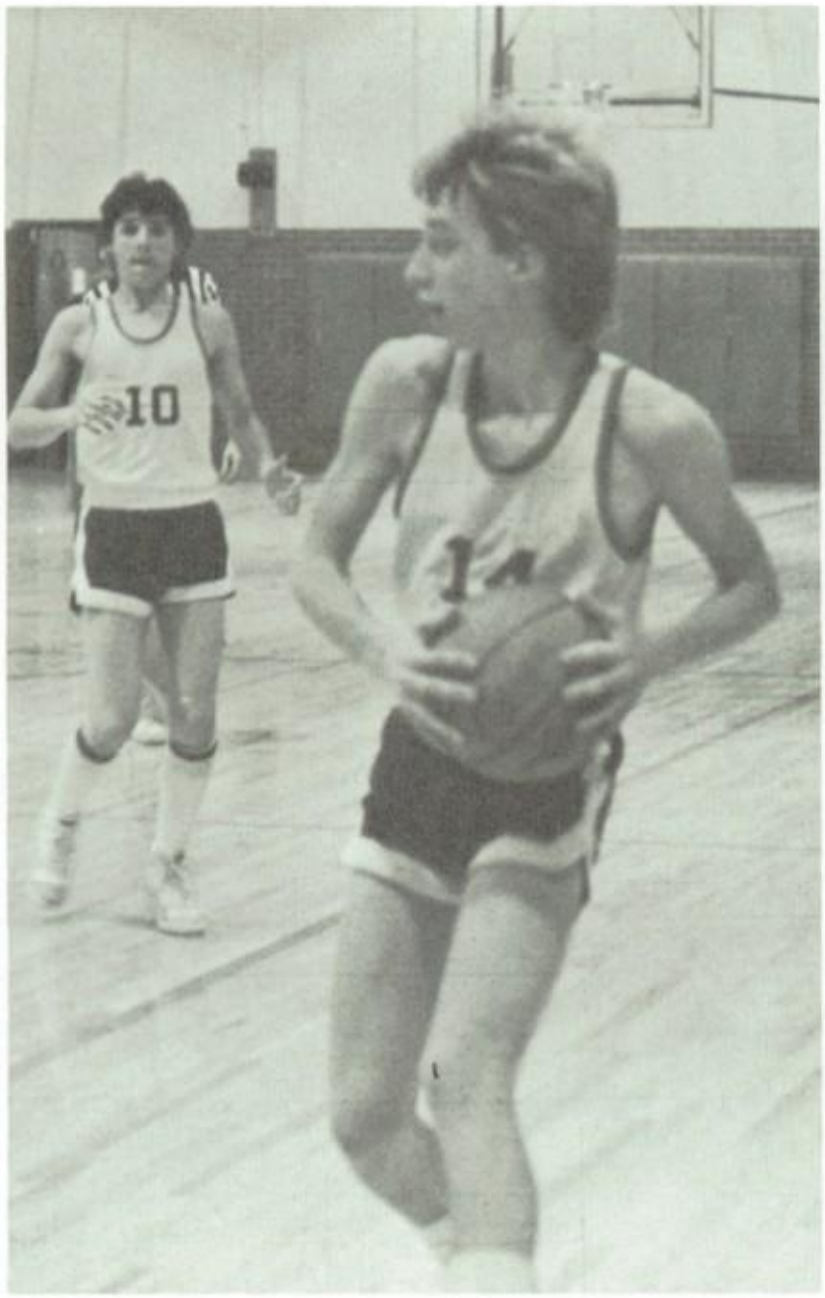
Who's turn is it?

Look what happens when Nathan gets serious!

Any time now!

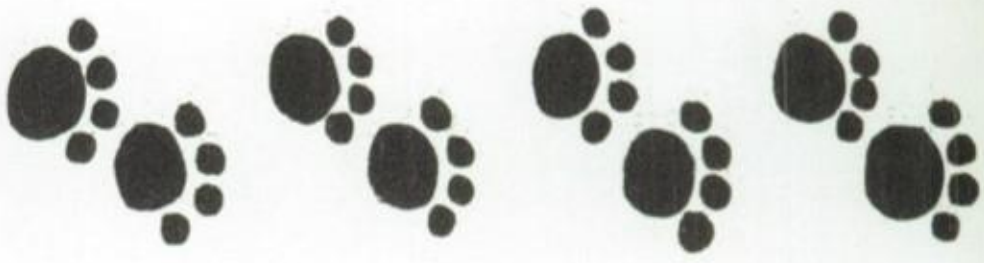
JV — Next Year's Promise

eft to Right: Coach Stienle, Arnold Peralez, manager, Mark Smotherman, Woody Glass, Darryl Vashington, Todd Braafladt, Leo Vera, Jeff Butler, manager, **Front row:** Blake Brown, Joe Alvarez, Ray ameron, Todd Bradley, Matt Davis



Todd looks for someone to dispose the ball to!

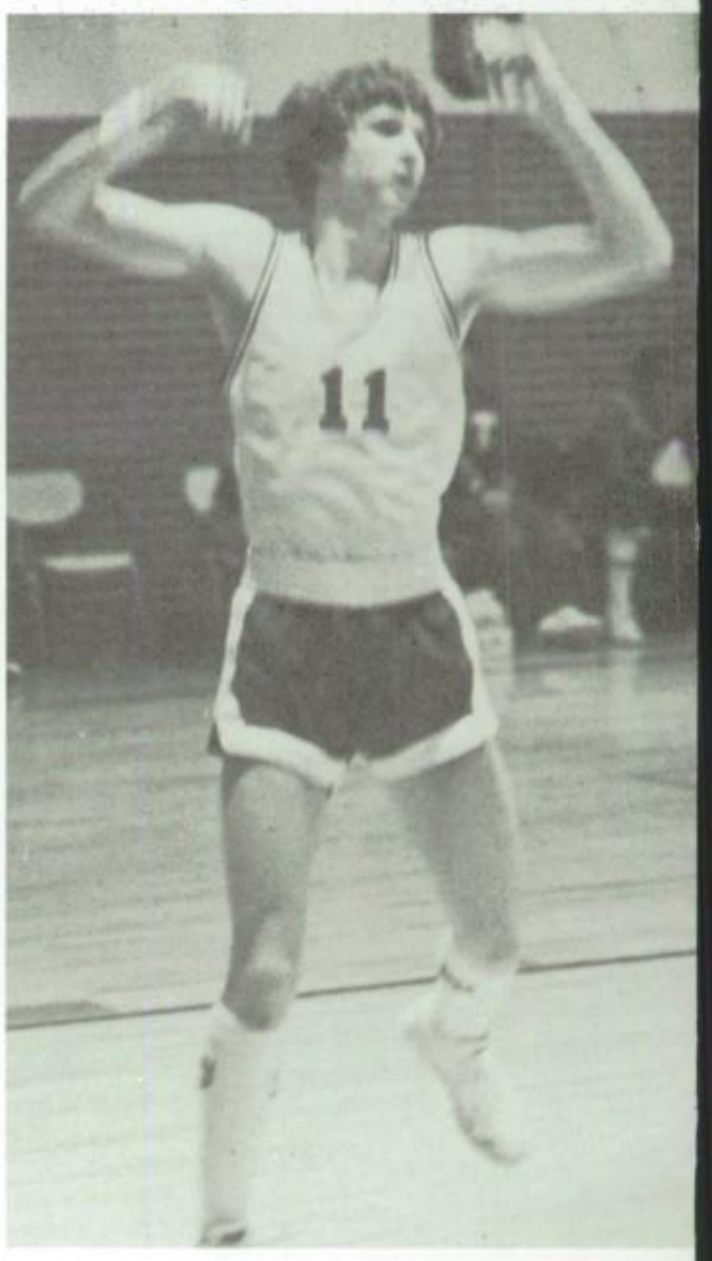
Mark is there for the rebound!



And it's Daryll, pride of the JR. class!

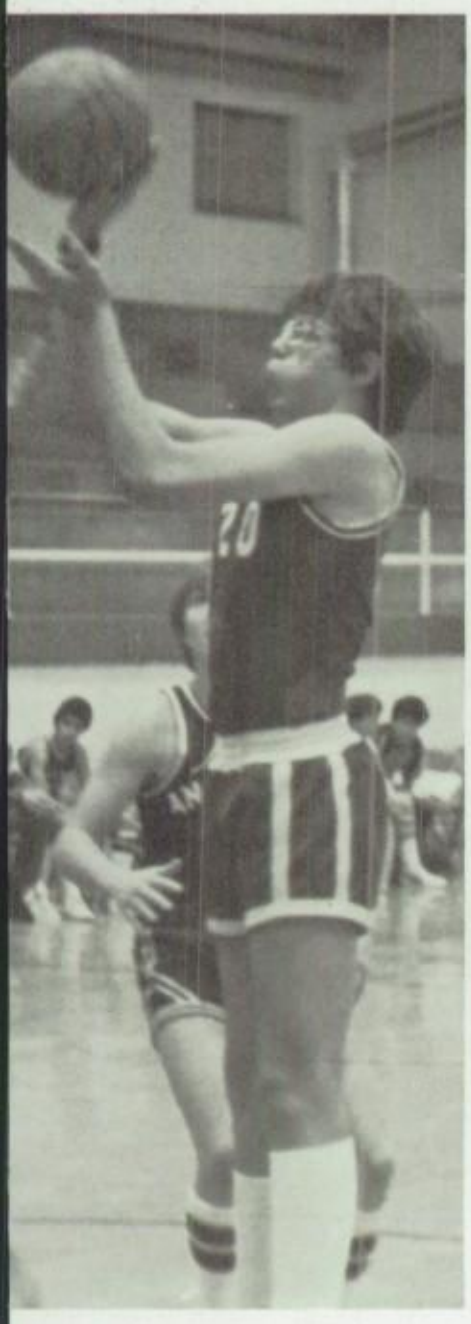
Woody waits for the ball in midair.

Blake poses for the crowd!



Super Season for Frosh

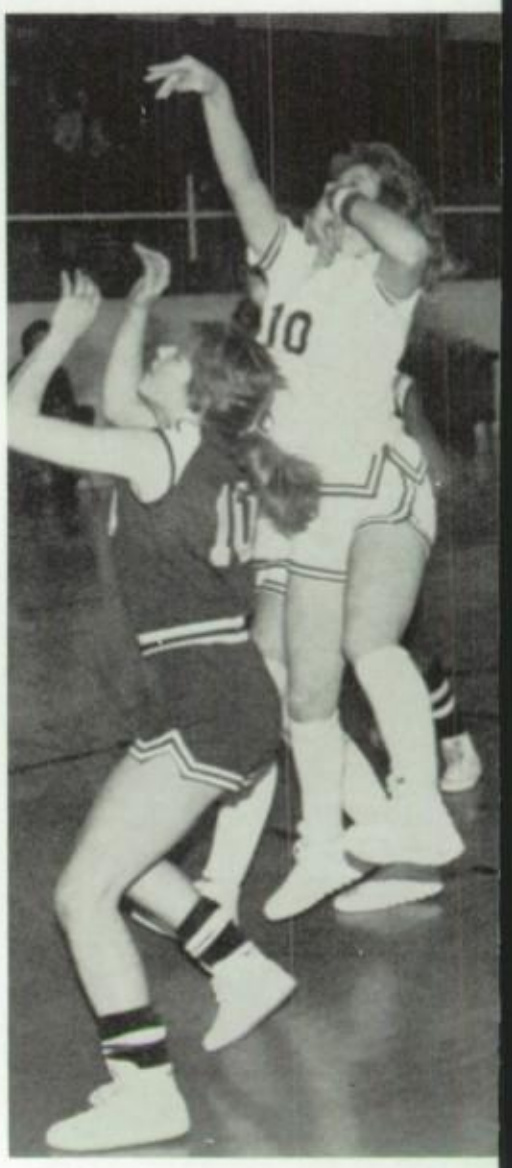
st Row: Arnold Peralez, Grady Mason, Scott Blackwell, Paul Herrera, Scott Hill, Valentine Barrera, Jerry Gonzales **2nd Row:** Coach Rasor, Joe Porter, Todd Durham, Martin Alverez, Milton Carrasco, Marc Bennett, John Wait, Rudy Crispin, Coach Griffin



Genuine Effort Makes

Tammy's defense keeps the ball in Bobbie's hands!

Bridgette, is the sky falling?



Kim points to the ball destination.

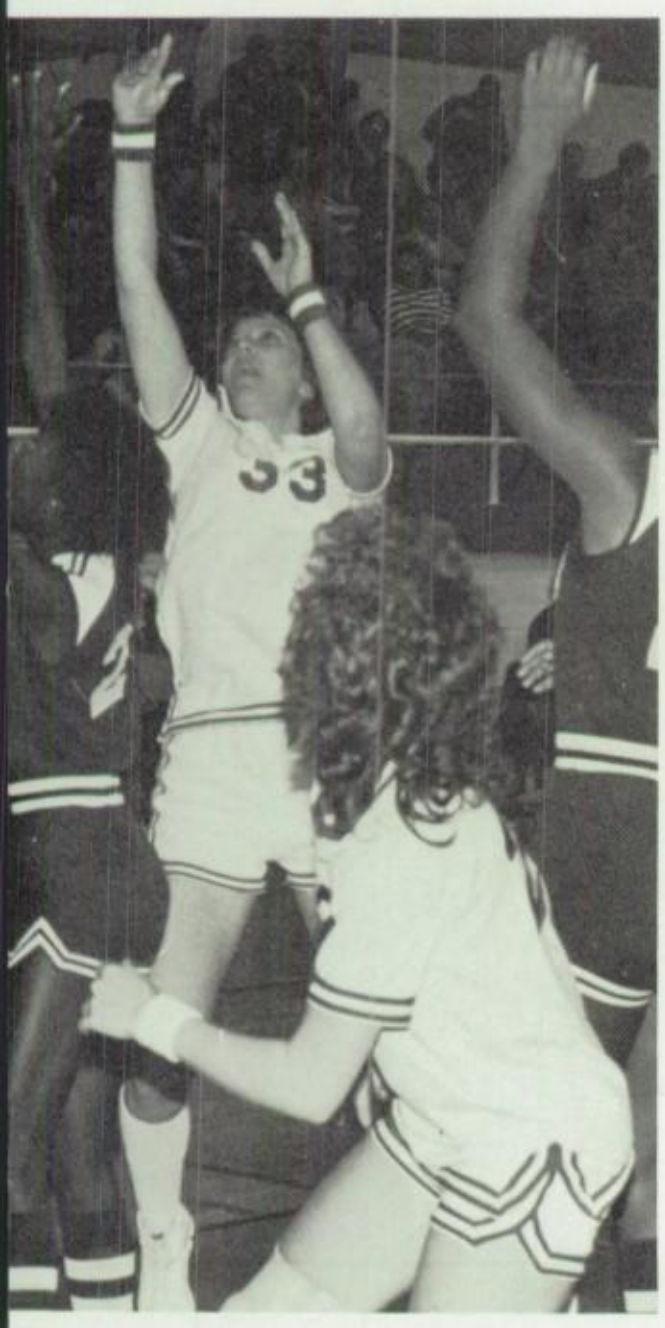
Tobby asks, "What is this, follow the leader?"

The defense doesn't scare Jill.

Bobbie's Proud

Julie will never let go!

On your mark, get set, SHOOT!

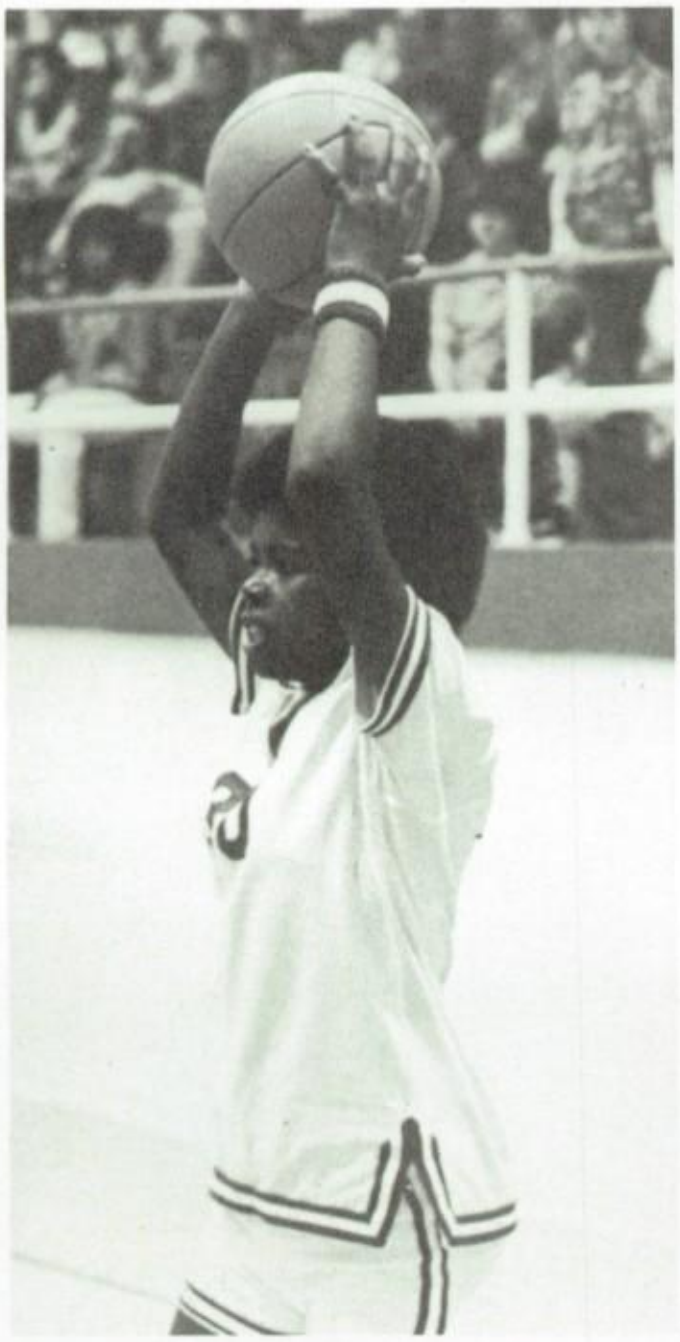


Everybody wants it!

1983-84 Season
15-12

We		They
44	Morton	43
49	Hereford	41
57	Petersburg	21
45	Plainview	59
44	Lubbock High	25
65	Littlefield	51
33	Canyon	56
29	Canyon	46
56	Pampa	46
34	Borger	30
29	Slaton	54
37	Clovis	57
24	Sudan	58
49	Coronado	36
48	Littlefield	53
46	Morton	35
48	Lockney	49
48	Muleshoe	38
31	Abernathy	58
33	Littlefield	54
33	Tulia	32
49	Friona	44
52	Muleshoe	32
37	Abernathy	50
27	Littlefield	40
48	Tulia	44
45	Friona	42

Perfect Poise



Where is everybody?

Tobby says, "I dare you to touch that ball!"

Yes, Stacie, that's the goal!

JV Girls Have Excellent Season

Left to Right: Sonccia Tischler, Stephanie Killingsworth, Stephanie Ryan, Laura Hargrove, Cindi Nutt, Lisa Nelson, Karla Sheffy, Donna Behrends, Camille Summers, Sheryl Simpson, Darla Young, Coach Rasor, LeAndy Lynn manager

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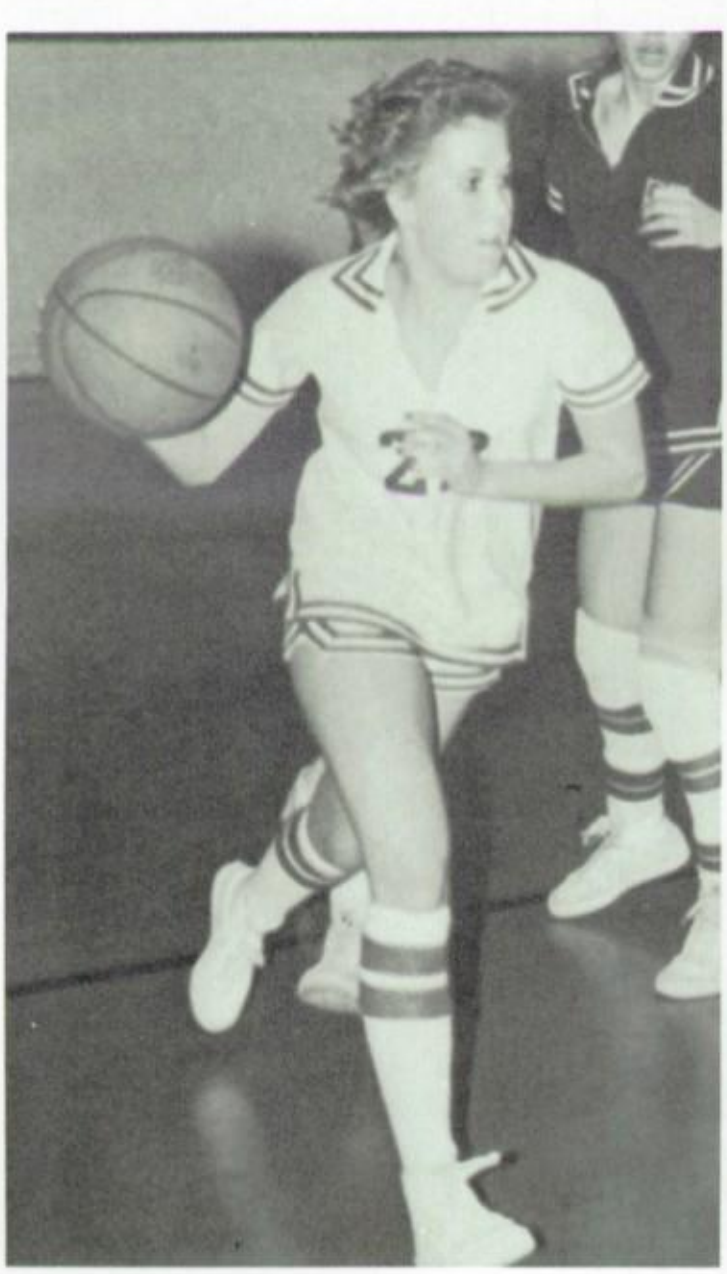

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Freshman Girls Gain Experience

oach Curlee, **Left to Right:** Nadine Gauna, Becky Casas, Lupe Falcon, Cindy Martinez, Cara Odom, Molly ay Waggoner, Charlynn Hunter, Kim Washington, Linda Saenz, Priscilla Perez, Kayla Jones, Susie Flores, innamon Cox

Basketball

Spirit Week

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Boys' Track

st Row: John Howendobler, David Mohon, Mike Trevino, DeShaun White. **2nd Row:** Bruce Bryant, Bobby no, Mark Shakelford, Tony Melendez, Mark Coker, Brandon Cox, Dwight McDonald. **3rd Row:** Milton arrasco, Greg Sava, Mark Smotherman, Ben Benton, Jay Hopper, David Ellis, Joe Alvarez, Hector San-ez, Woody Glass, David Barton

Row: Josa Mendoza, Jacinto Lopez, Albert Valdez, y Perez. **2nd Row:** Garry Leatherwood, Scott ugh, John Waite, Todd Durham

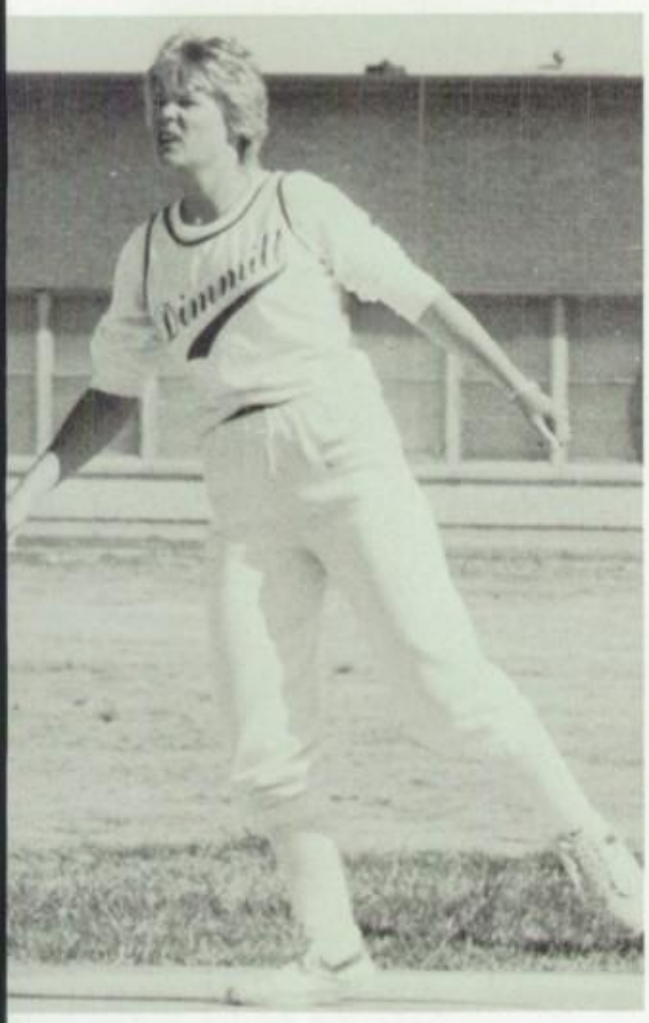
Regional qualifiers: David and Joe

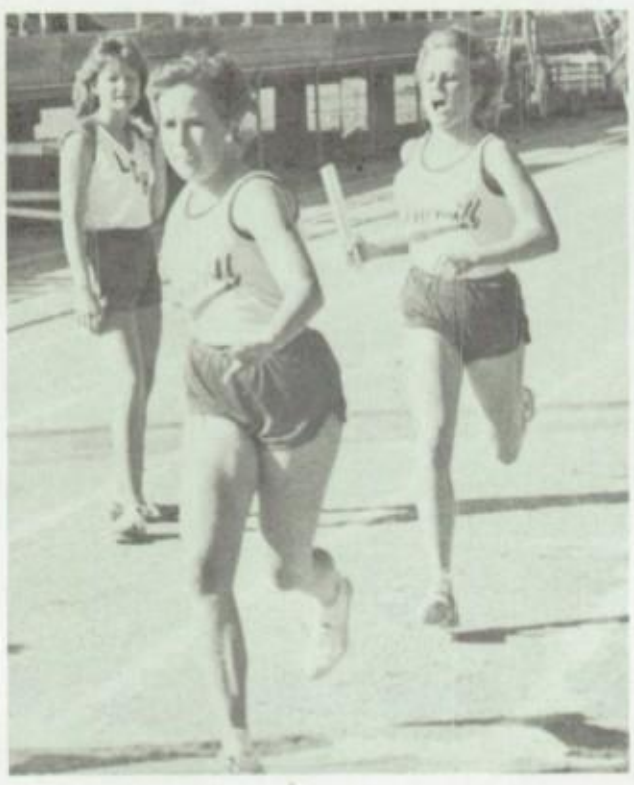
Girls' Varsity Track

1st Row: Tobby Tischler, Angie Salinas, Nadine Guana, Kayla Jones, Lisa Nelson, Becky Schroder, **2nd Row:** Stephanie Ryan, Coach Schroder, Sonccia Tischler, Sheryl Simpson, Cara Odom, Karls Sheffy, Stephanie Killingsworth, Molly Gay Waggoner, Coach Rasor.

(a) Regional Qualifiers: To Stephanie, Nadine, and M Gay.

(b)Sheryl, Karla, and Steph wave to the crowd.





On your mark, Get set, GO!!!

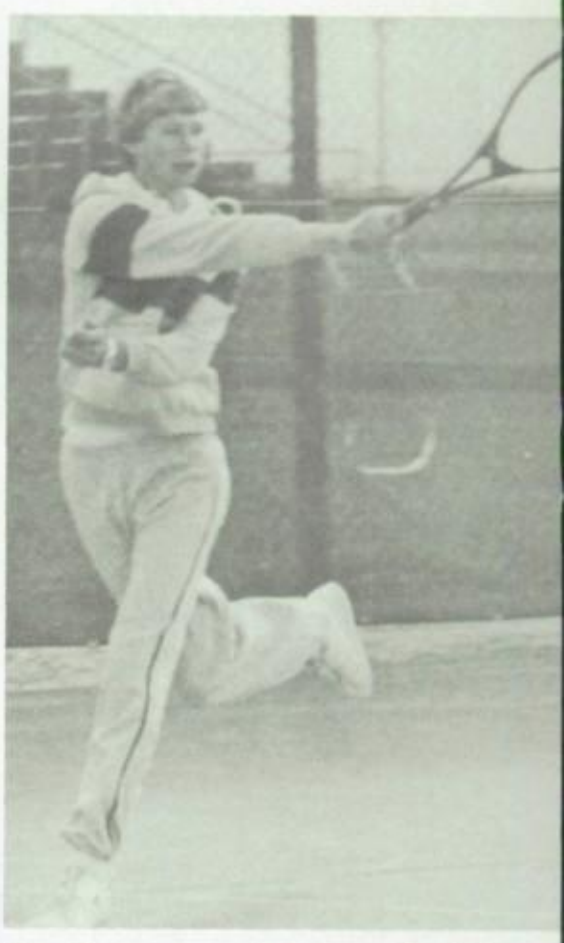
Boys' Varsity and JV Tennis

It's Mr. Cool!

Varsity: Brett Sheffy, Bobby Martinez, Richard Sauceda, Scott Hill

JV: Scott Morris, Tim Sims, Billy Patton, Owen Viles

Bobby gets into the game!



As Owen would say, "It blood well better be good."

Girls' Tennis

arsity: Tobby Tischler, Joyce Schilling, Patsy Vera, Amy Bennight, Tricia
ouchstone, not pictured — Brenda Daniel.

J.V. — Nina and Anja

Boys' and Girls' Golf

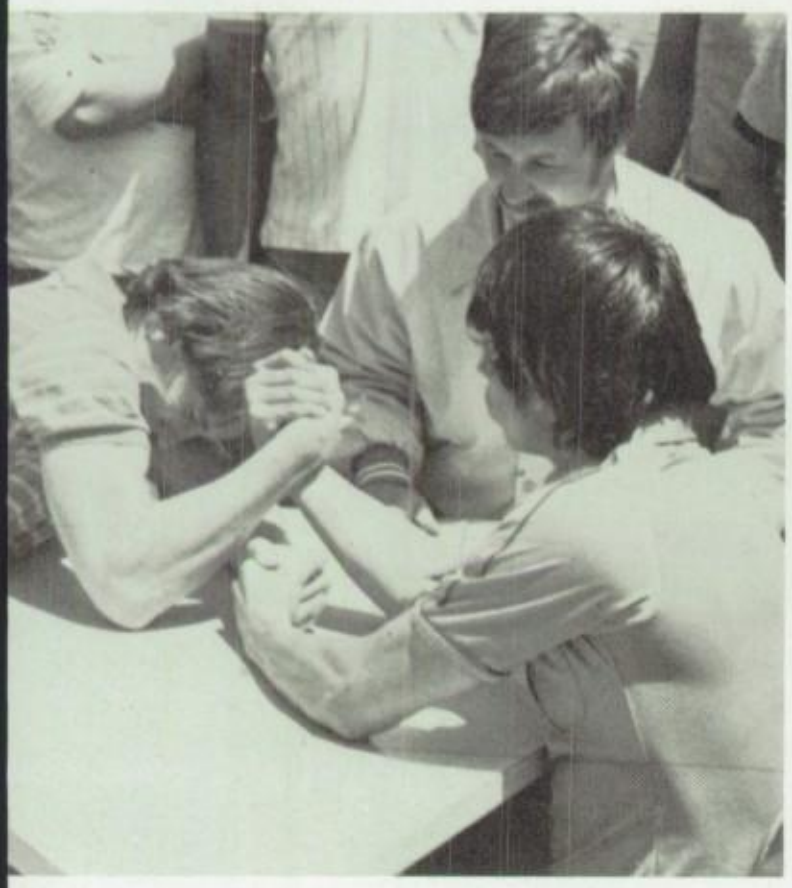
Girls' Team

Stacie Jackson
Holly Waggoner
Bridget Lowe
Becky Benton

Boys' Team

Nathan Nelson, Jeff Butler, Tod Bradley, Brad Holcomb, Hal Gilbreath, Scott Lane, Scott Nelson, Mike S
ford, Mark Standlee, Blake Brown.

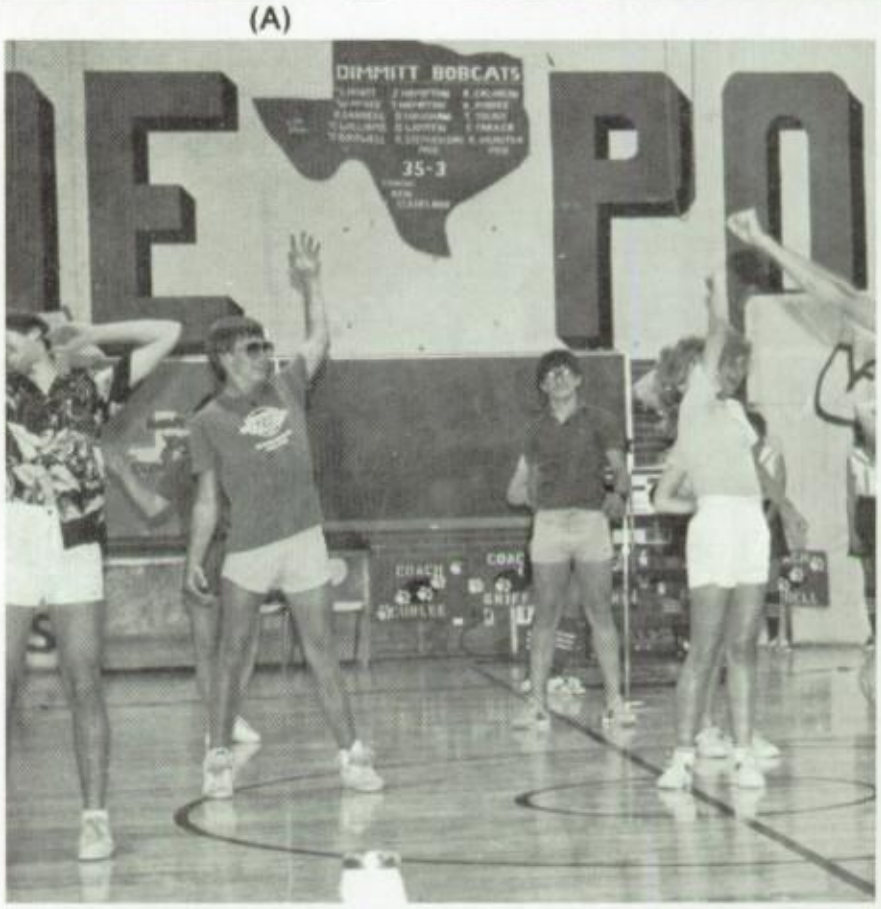
Our Fun Day



(A)

(B) Cheering with Purple Pride.
(C) And this is our Student Council.
(D) Richard Simmons eat your heart out.
(E) Kennen, don't fall now.
(F) Kennen speaking for the team.
(G) Roxanne sure has strong lungs.

Movin' with the groove Pep Rallies



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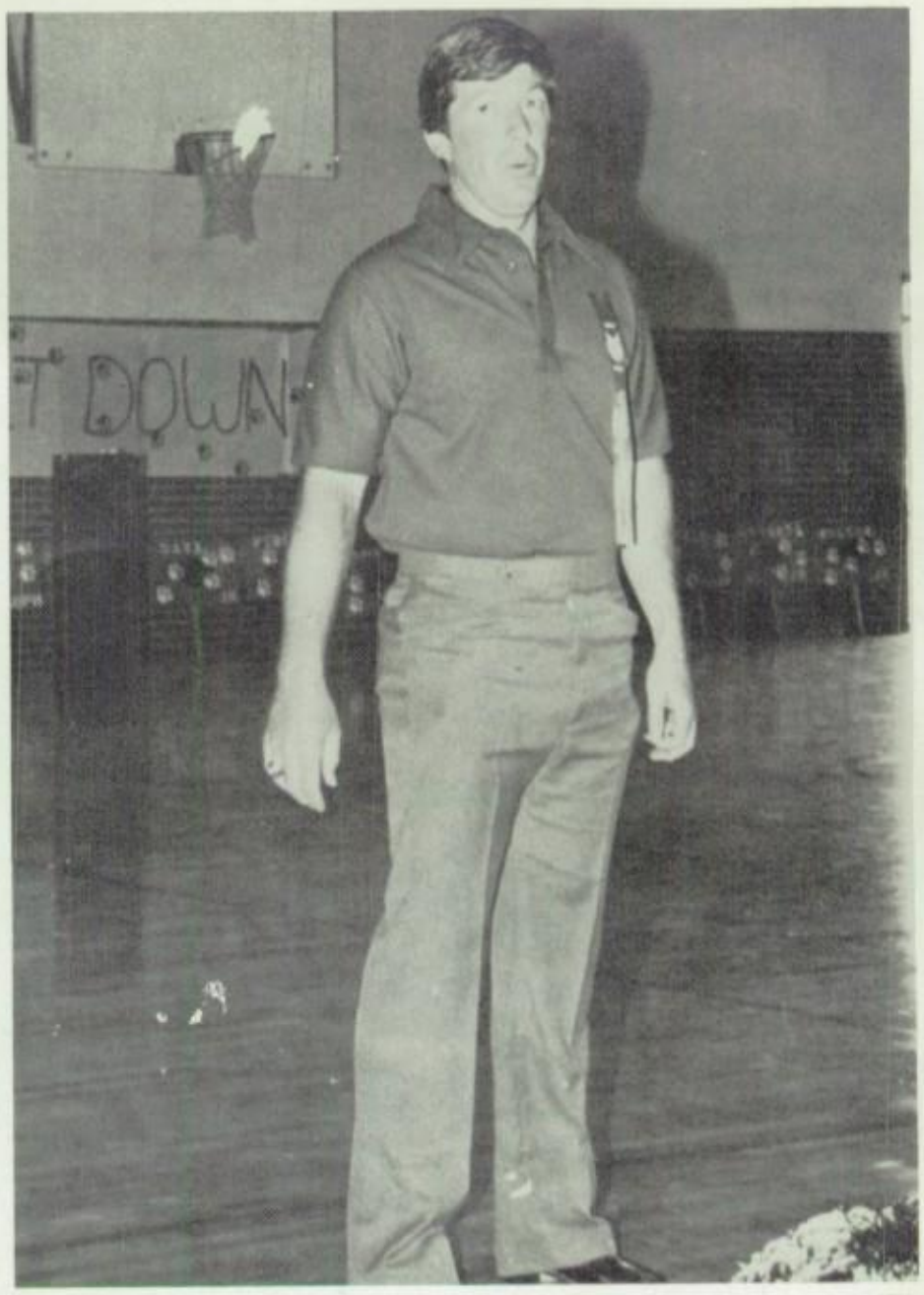

(B)

(A) Wow, A new cheer?
(B) Coach Griffin really enjoys talking to the students.
(C) Our enthusiastic flag corps.
(D) Can they really pass for the real thing?
(E) What a great looking fortune teller, I think.

(D)

(E)

1st Row Mary Flores — Shorthand, Suzanne Ward — Poetry Reading, Vonda Richards — Journalism Sand Schinkus — Science, Debra Sava — Journalism, Roxanne Gabel — Journalism, Denise Smith — Typing, Rhonda Lewis — Typing, Jill Smith — Typing, Laura Nelson — Typing, Amy Downing — Spelling. **2nd Row** Jacalyn Thompson — Spelling, Nathan Malone — Prose Interpretation, Kennen Howell — Reading Writing, Chad Thompson — Science, Danny Dunton — Extemp, Brandon Cox — Ready Writing, Mark Shacklefor — Science, Mark Bruegel — Ready Writing, Kerry Lewis — Science, Jamie Reeve — Spelling.

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Nathan Nelson ..... Bob
Tiffany Braafladt ..... Doris
Michael Love ..... Marshall
Kyla Boozer ..... Carolyn
Billy Reynolds ..... boy

Crew: Dwight McDonald
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All star honorable mention: Debra Sava

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"Your the Reason God Made Oklahoma."
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FFA Awards Banquet

Award Winners

Star Greenhand
Chad Smithson
Star Chapter Farmer
Woody Glass
Star Lone Star Farmer
Brandon Cox
Sheep Herdsman Award
Steven Bagley
Swine Herdsman Award
Kennen Howell
Steer Herdsman Award
Doug Nelson

Athletic Banquet

Football:
- Offense — David Barton
- Defense — Kennen Howell
- MVP — Scott Nelson
- Fighting Heart — Brandon Cox

Boys Basketball:
- MVP — Dwight McDonald
- Fighting Heart — Robert Nelson

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- MVP — Tobby Tischler
- Fighting Heart — Julie Reeve

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- Fighting Heart — Joe Alvarez

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- Fighting Heart — Molly Waggoner

Boys Tennis:
- MVP — Richard Sauceda
  Brett Sheffy
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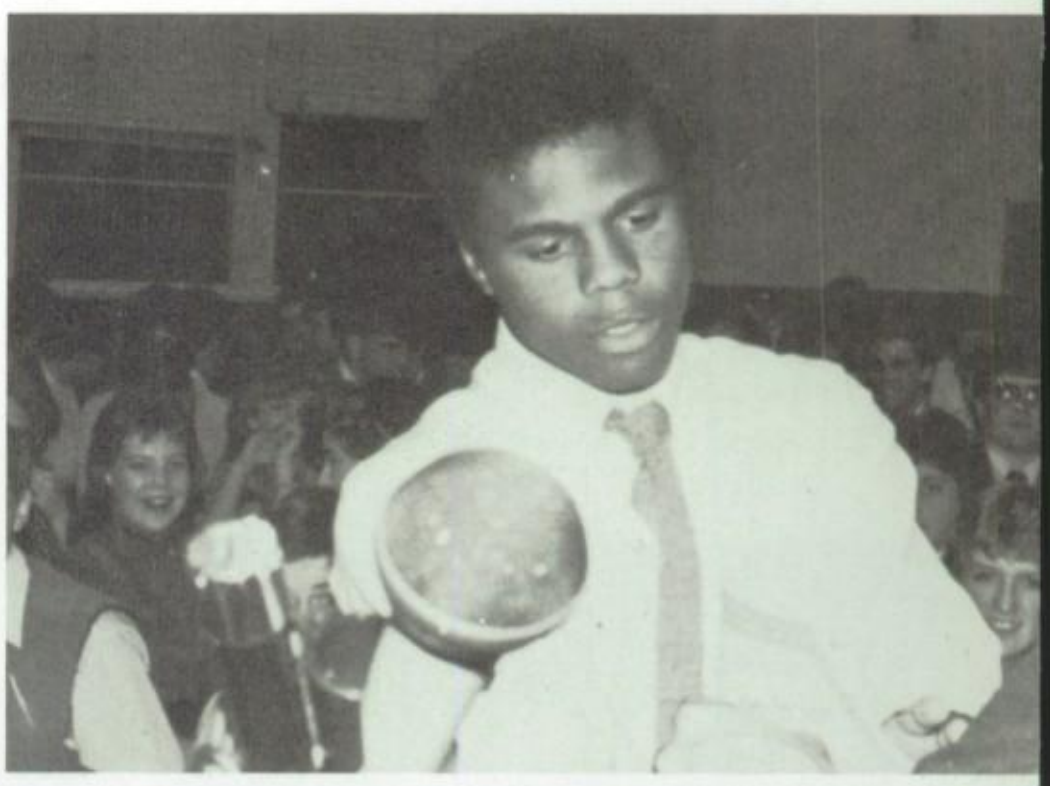

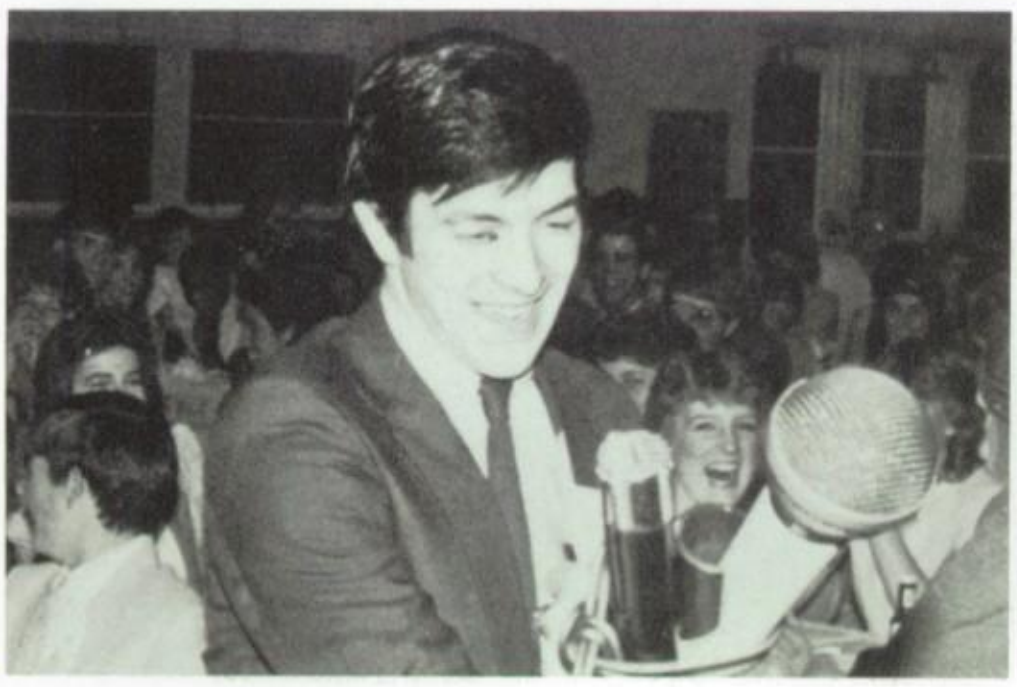

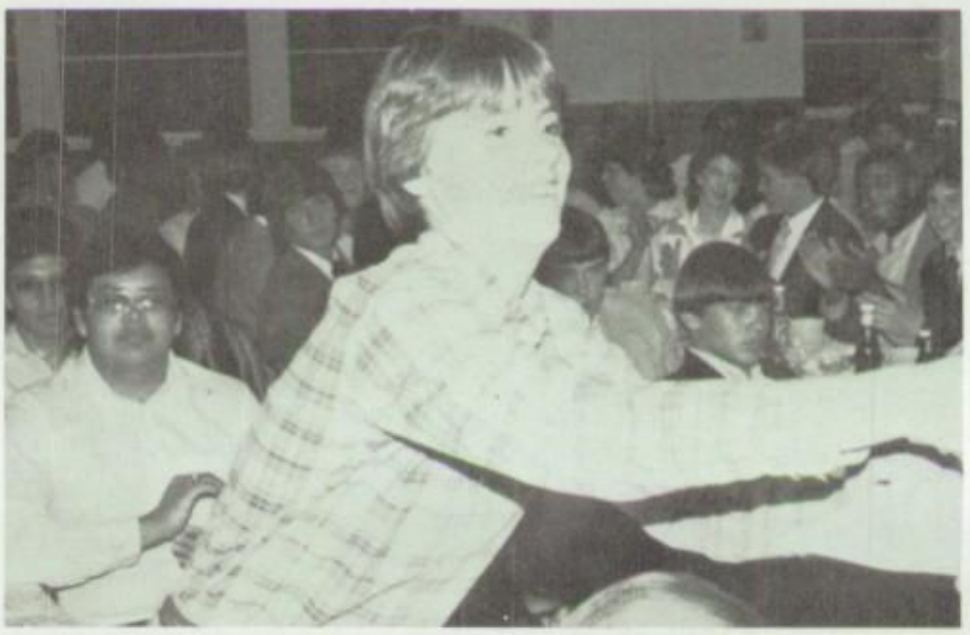

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Vice-President — Greg Sava
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1983-84 Key Club Banquet

Mark Bruegel
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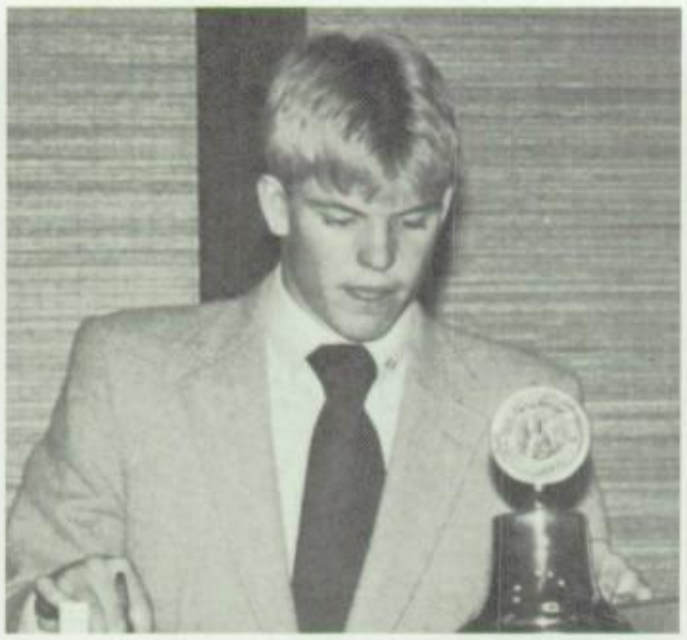


Installation of officers presented by Stephen Hacken.

Woody Glass
President 1984-85

Denise Behrends and Debra Sava presented a gift to the sponsor, Mrs. Sue Howell.

1984 Band Banquet

(A) James Parker was awarded the Most Improved Player award. (B) The Outstanding Sophomore award went to Sheryl Simpson. Kerri Collins was the outstanding freshman. (C) Debra Sava received the Outstanding marcher award. (D) Robby Hotteland Owen Viles were the outstanding bandsmen.

The outstanding junior was Mimi Barerra. The outstanding musicians were Sandi Schinkus and Denise Behrends. Robby Hottel and Denise Behrends were the band favorites.

(A)

(B)

(C)

(D)

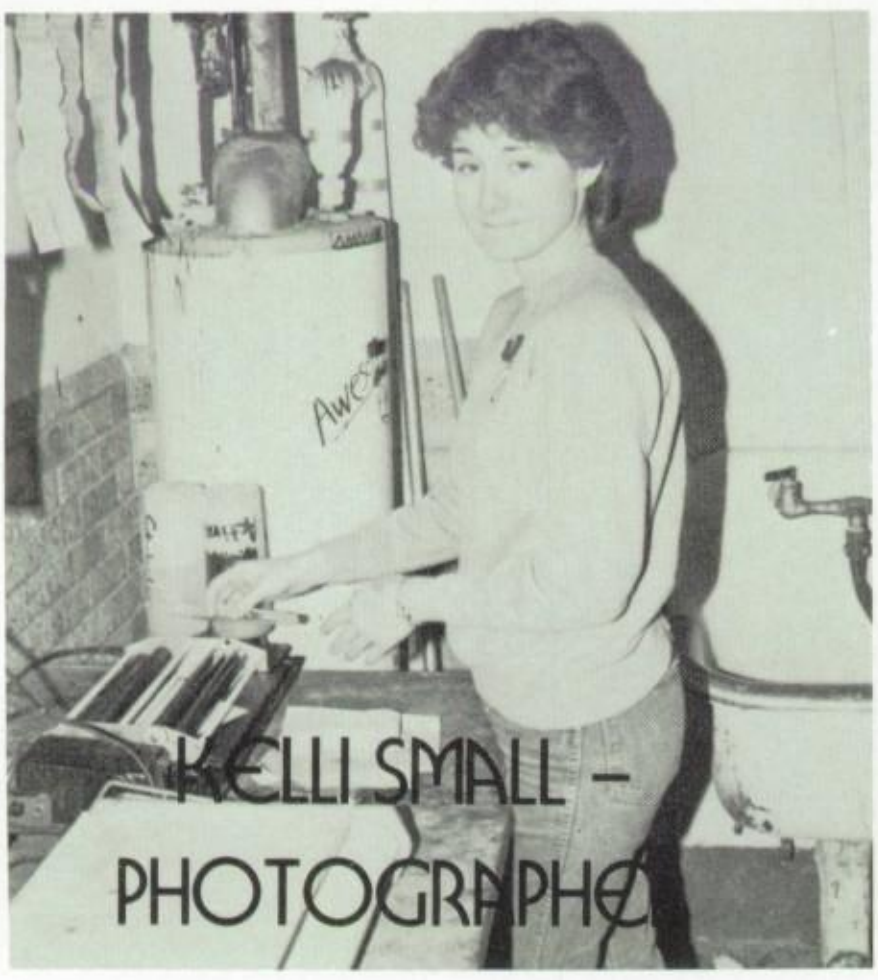
Choir Awards Banquet

Award Winners

Outstanding Soloists
Kayla Jones and LeAnn Webb
Outstanding Choral Members
Mary Sanchez and Rhonda Heath
Most Improved
Eloy Catano and Darla Young
Most Dedicated
Mary Ann Hernandez, Sandy Chasco and Lynn Roland
Special Recognition
Dwight Joiner and Rita Fuentes
Music Honor Award
Ray Sanchez

The 1984 Bobcat

Annual Staff



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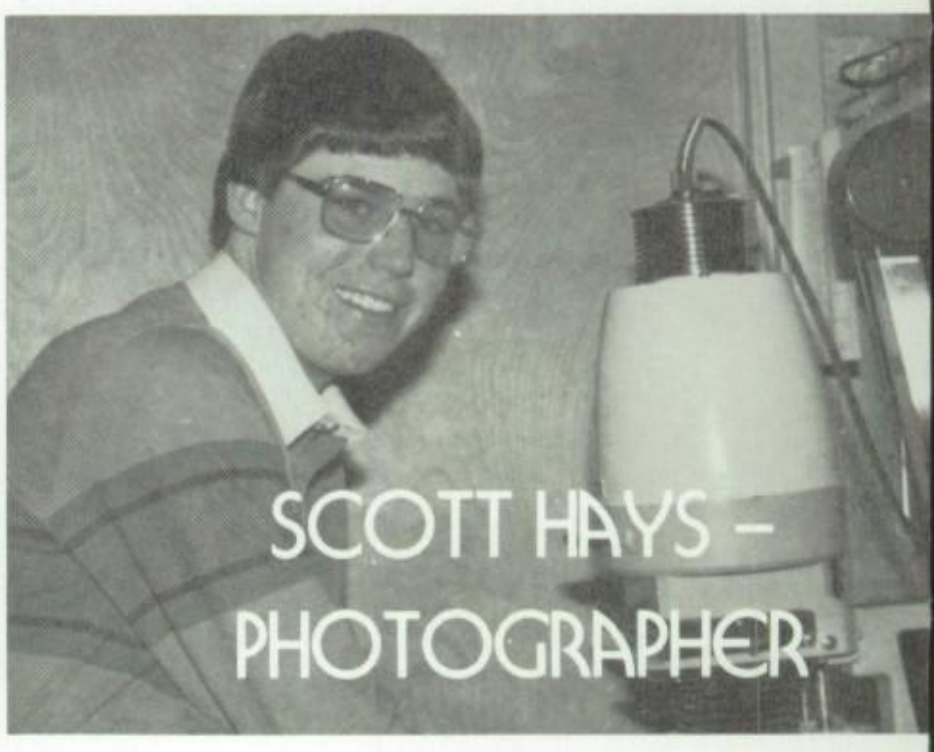

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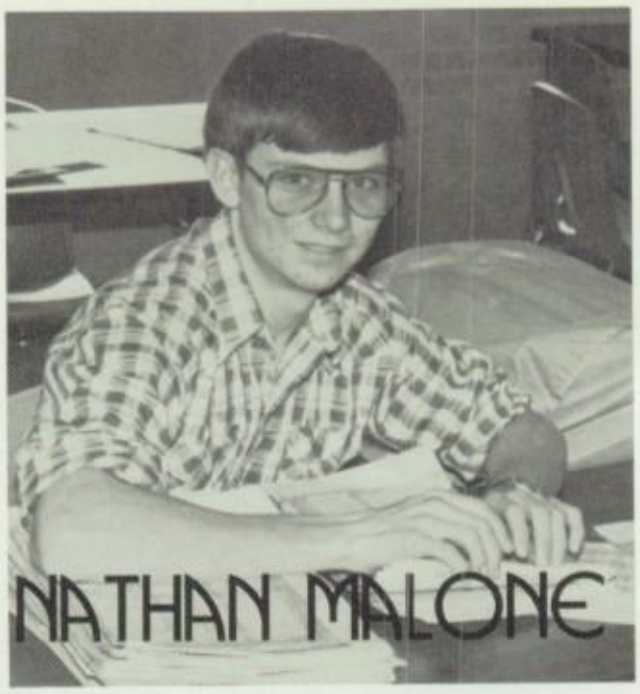
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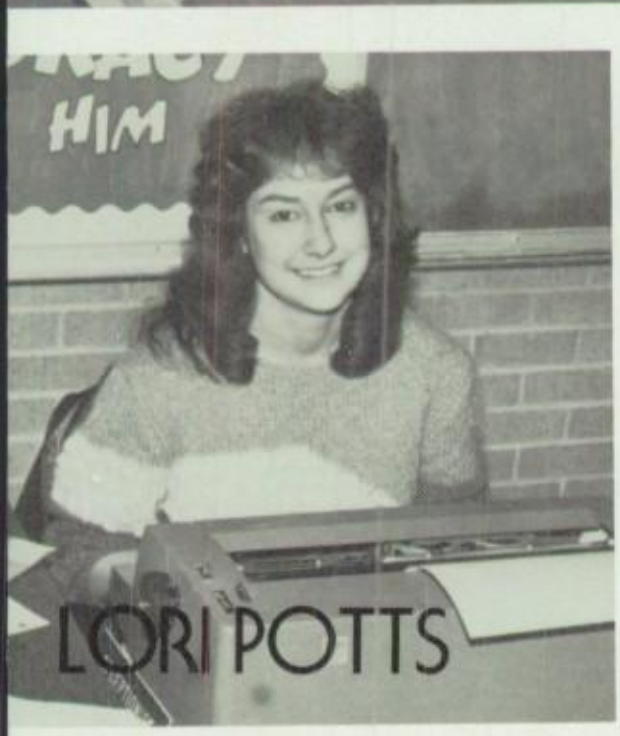
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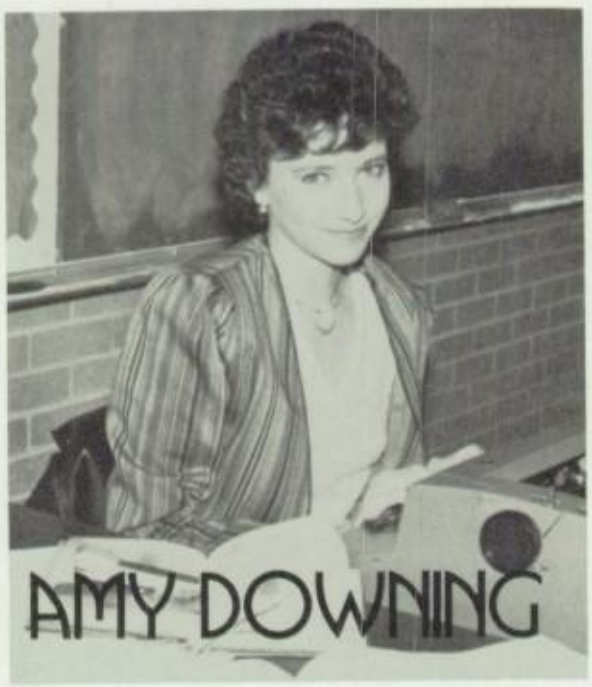
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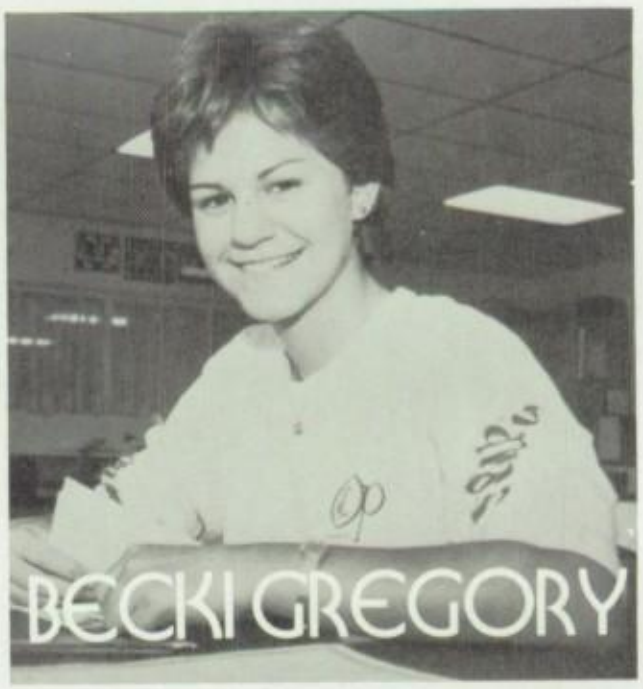
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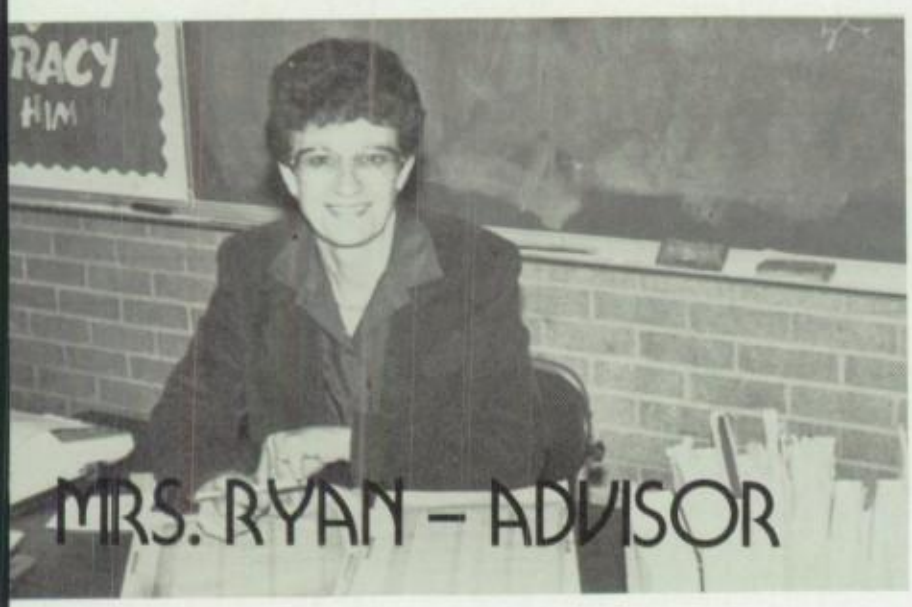
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The Junior-Senior Prom

MIDNIGHT MAGIC

Band Trip

The Bobcat Band took a four day trip to Oklahoma City and to Enid where the band marched in a contest. Friday evening was spent in a mall and Saturday after marching the band visited the Cowboy Hall of Fame, the Zoo, and the Omniplex. The band members stayed all day Sunday at White Water swimming and freezing.

Mr. Meyers did a wonderful job organizing the trip and it was surely enjoyed by all who went.

Choir Trip

1984 Awards Assembly

Kiwanis Scholarship	Debra Sava
American Legion Awards	Debra Sava
	Dwight McDonald
Boys' State	Michael Love
	Greg Sava
Girls' State	Kyla Boozer
	Carla Frye
DAR Good Citizenship	Roxanne Gabel
Rotary Scholarship	Chad Thompson
Camp Ryla	Doug Nelson
	Nathan Nelson
March of Dimes Scholarship	Sandi Schinkus
John Blaine Scholarship	Dwight McDonald
George Froehner Scholarship	Scott Nelson
Weldon Skinner Scholarship	Brett Sheffy
Koma Ratcliff Scholarship	Julie Reeve
Dana Wall Scholarship	Kennen Howell
Easter Lions Scholarship	Karen Markley
	Vonda Richards
John Collins Scholarship	Denise Behrends
	Mark Bruegel
4-H Council Scholarship	Mary Anne Hernandez
	Scott Simpson
Extension Homemakers	Kennen Howell
Scholarship	Becky Benton
Young Homemakers Scholarship	Krystal Scott
Brawley Supply Scholarship	Roxanne Gabel
Presidential Academic	
Fitness Awards	

Denise Behrends	Mark Bruegel
Roxanne Gabel	Kennen Howell
Scott Nelson	Vonda Richards
Sandi Schinkus	Rhonda Heath
Robert Nelson	Julie Reeve
Debra Sava	Chad Thompson
Mary Arce	Kim Booker
Rhonda Heath	Cara Higgs
Richard Sauceda	Juanita Velasquez

Methodist Scholarship

Farm Bureau Seminar	Stephanie Ryan
Sophomore of the Year	Woody Glass
Presidential Classroom	Greg Sava
Citizenship Award	Kennen Howell
	Julie Reeve
Valedictorian	Chad Thompson
Salutatorian	Sandi Schinkus

Senior Assembly

BREAKIN!

Will Tony own an onion shed?
Will Dwight be a famous playboy?
Will Owen defy the Queen?
Will Julie own a Chevrolet house?
These are only a few of the many questions that the Seniors of '84 must answer.

uit Mickey Mousing round!

Who are those masked *men*?

It's no fun . . . being an illegal alien!

Valedictorian

CHAD
THOMPSON

95.66

Salutatorian

SANDI
SCHINKUS

94.81

President's Message

I cannot express in words how much his year has meant to me. It has truly been a privilege to serve as president of such a great student body. It has been challenging as well as a rewarding experience. The support of the student body and the faculty has been tremendous in providing for an extremely successful year. I would also like to sincerely thank the excellent Student Council and its sponsors with whom I have had the privilege of working. I wish each of you the best of luck in all of your future encounters. I will always cherish the experiences of this memorable year!

God Bless You,
Chad

What Appears to be the End May Really Be a New Beginning

Commencement 1983-184

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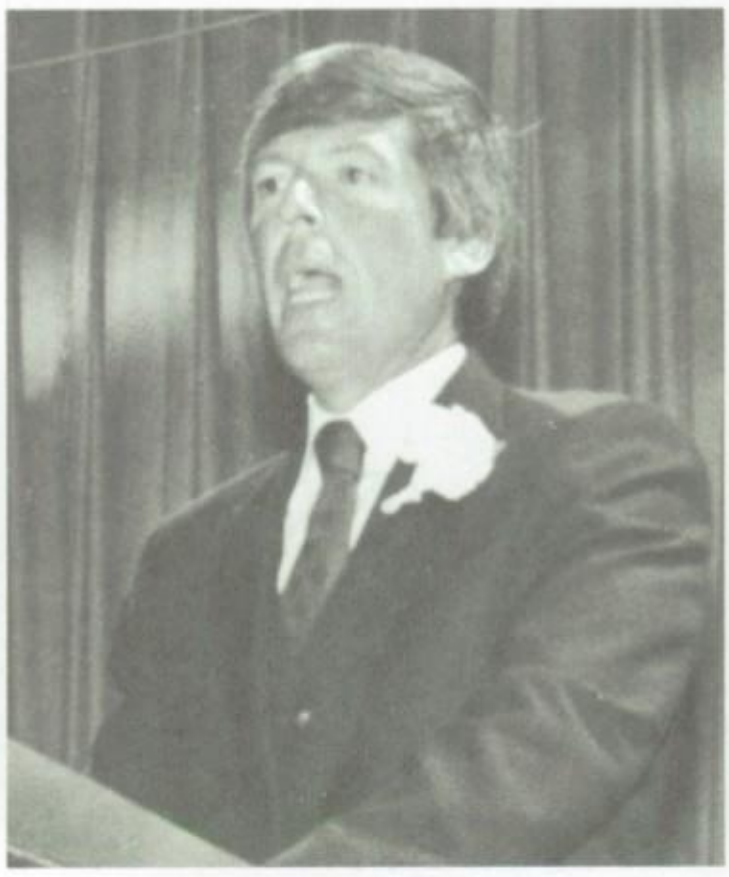


Commencement address:
Coach Gene Griffin

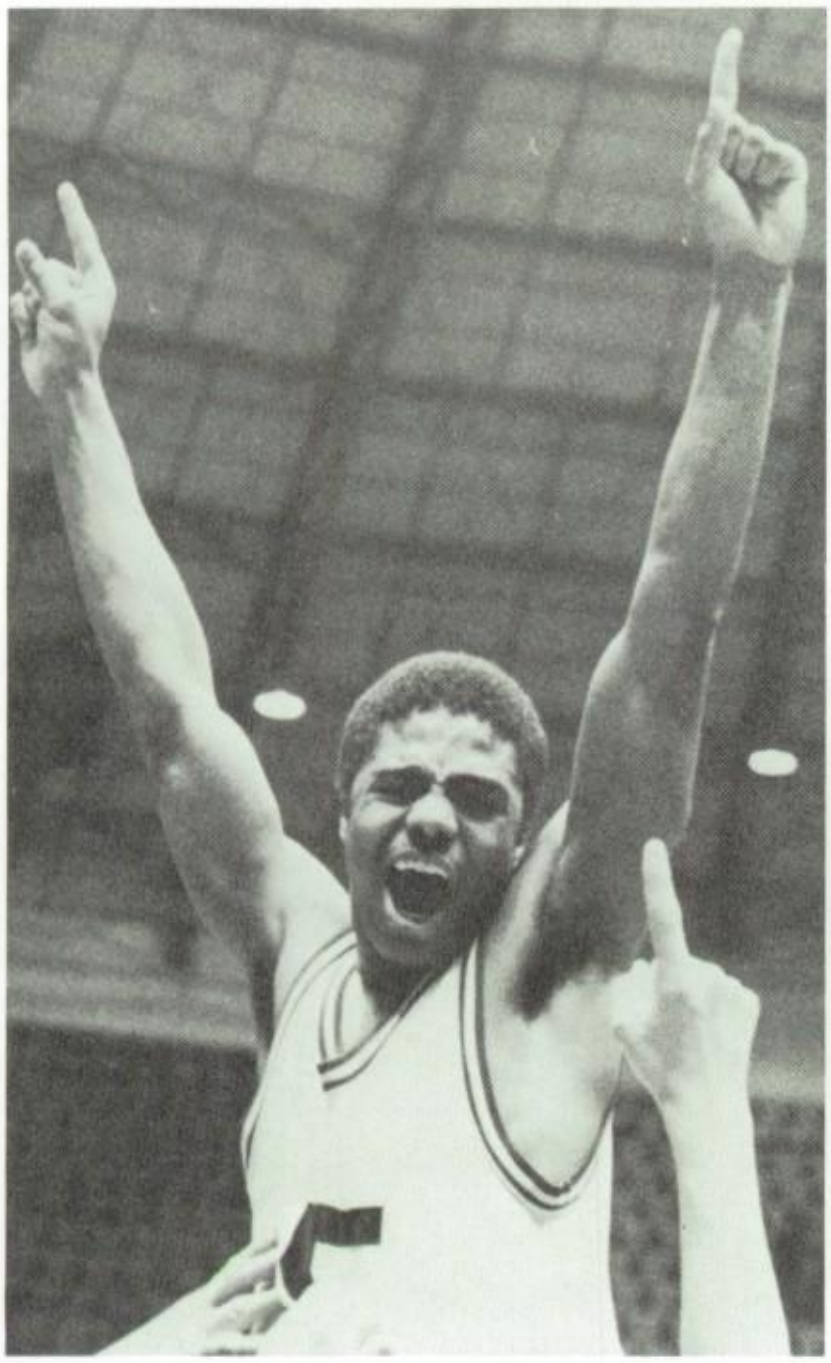
Salutatory address:
Sandi Schinkus

Now, as you look at this — or even twenty years from now when you look at this — maybe take a moment and reflect over some incidents that have been fun, touching, sad, and even frustrating. We have changed, grown, and learned from all the experiences that we have had together. We have shared so many things — good times, adventures, disappointment, and sometimes just the silence. These memories will be captured in our hearts forever. Wherever we will go, whatever we may do, we will be a part of one another.

Soon enough, we must gather all our courage and walk out into a larger world casting away all our childish fears . . . ready to make decisions, mistakes, and to find ourselves. So laugh while the laughing is easy and cry if it is worthwhile for we will never pass this way again.

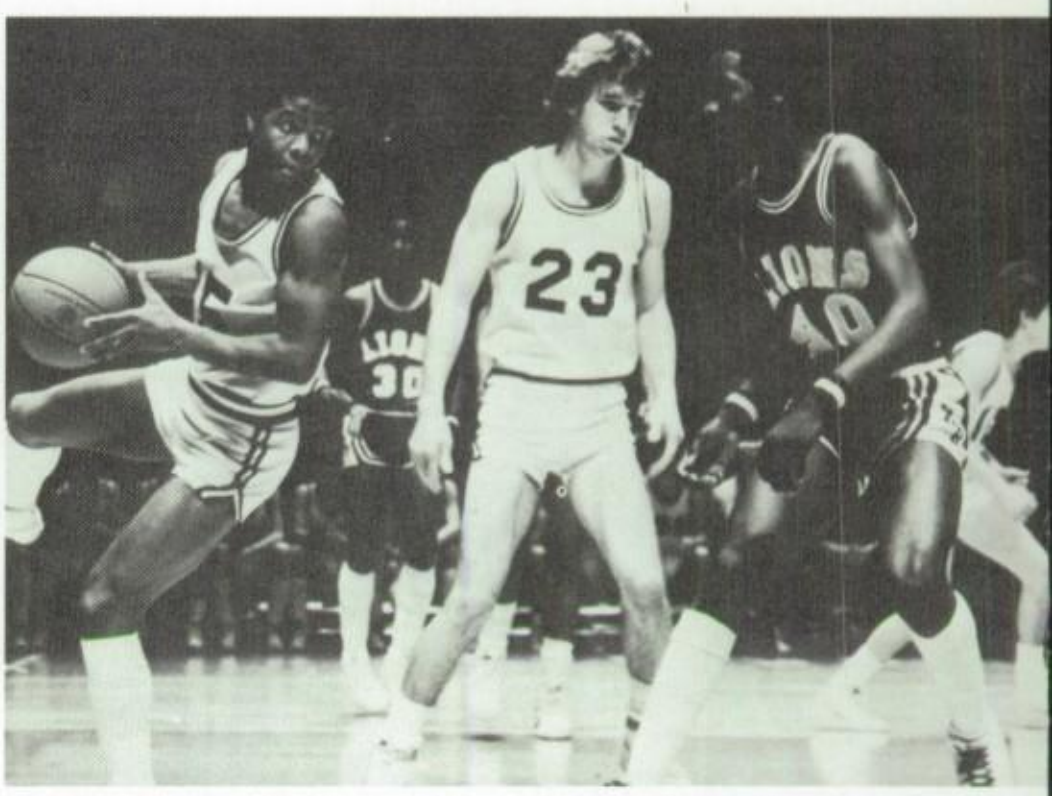
Class Song —
"Friends"
Class Colors —
urple and White
Class Flower —
Purple Orchid

Game by Game They Made

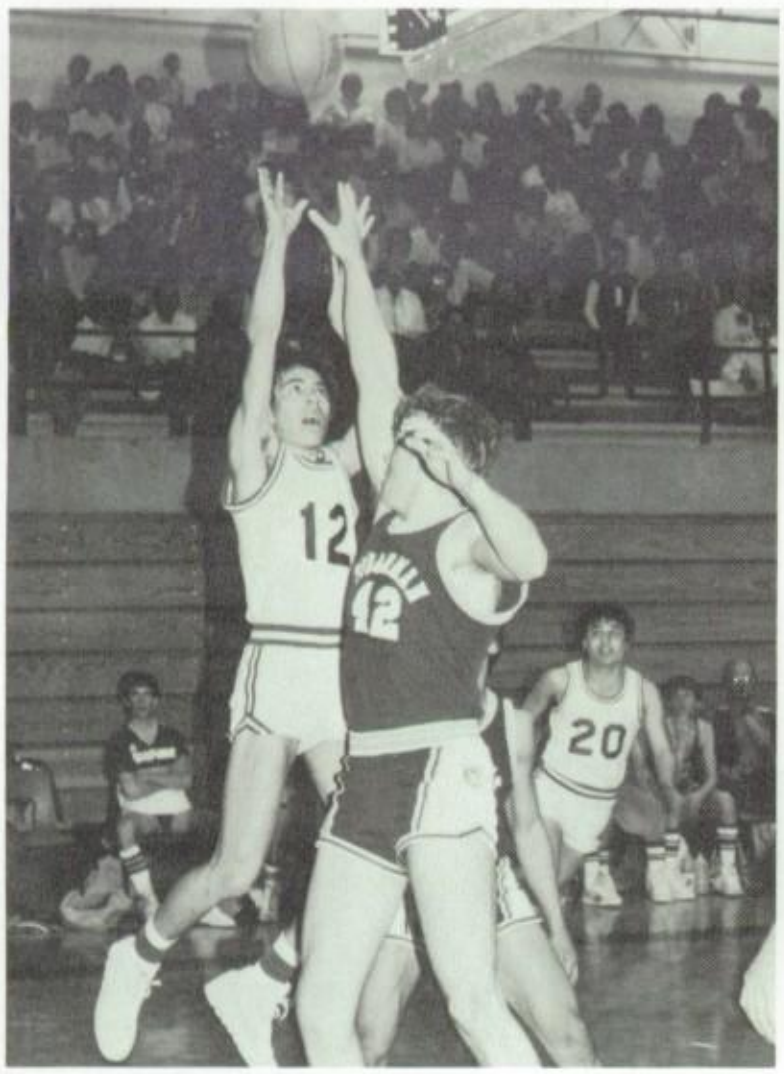


A little bit of heaven!

The starting line-up strutting their stuff at the Drum!



Dwight and Brad make the Lions lose their courage!



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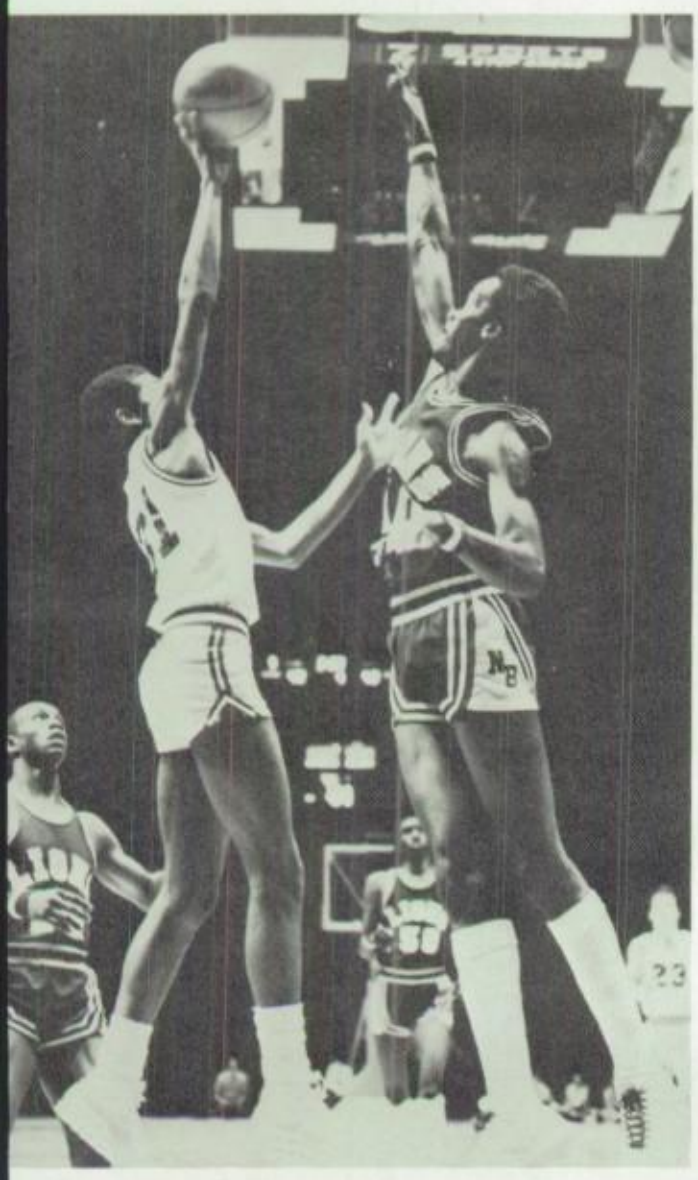
Bi-District . . .

Their Way to Austin



Pat easily claims the ball.

Regional Championship!

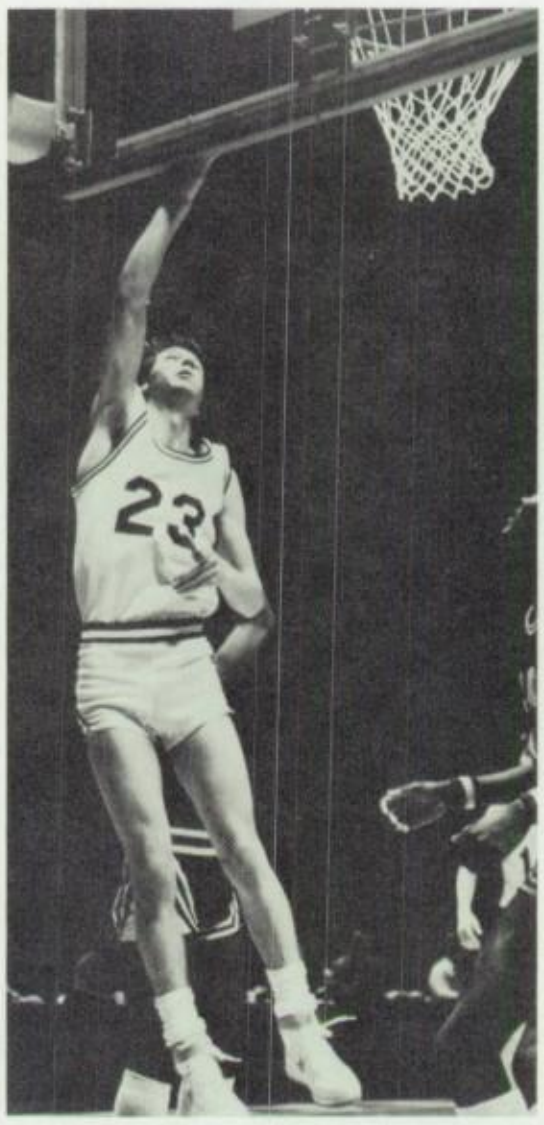
And they're off!

No gold, but lots of respect! That was the headline in the Castro County News and the sentiments of all the fans as well. Living in the shadow of last year's 38-0 season, the Bobcats came along and ended up the regular season with a 16-12 record and second in district. The Bobcats seemed to have reached a new plateau upon the entrance of the play-offs. The bi-district game with Spearman was just an indication of the kind of team effort which was to come. Their victory was sweet at 69-57. Then the area game victory over Idalou at 61-47 was the last step into the regional tourney.! These guys, called "Destiny's Dwarfs" by the Amarillo Globe, became giants! The first game with Crane was hard fought but with a seven-point flurry in the last two minutes the Bobcats were once again victorious with the final score being 59-60.

The tension and excitement were at an all time high as the Bobcats entered the game with Abernathy — our district rival who had come out a one-point victor in both the district games. Lots of fans and students were repeating the long-time addage and proven point that "You may beat Kenneth Cleveland's team twice in a season, but it's nearly impossible to do it three times." The game was exactly what everyone thought it would be — tight from beginning to finish — and what a finish! With six seconds showing and the score tied, Brad Holcomb passed the ball to Dwight McDonald who went the length of the court and pulled up just inside the free throw line, and with an Abernathy player trying to block his shot, he jumped and lofted the ball in the final second — the ball swished through the net, the buzzer sounded, and the coliseum exploded with the sudden sonic boom of 4500 voices — the Bobcats win 63-61 — and with the victory their third regional championship in three years!

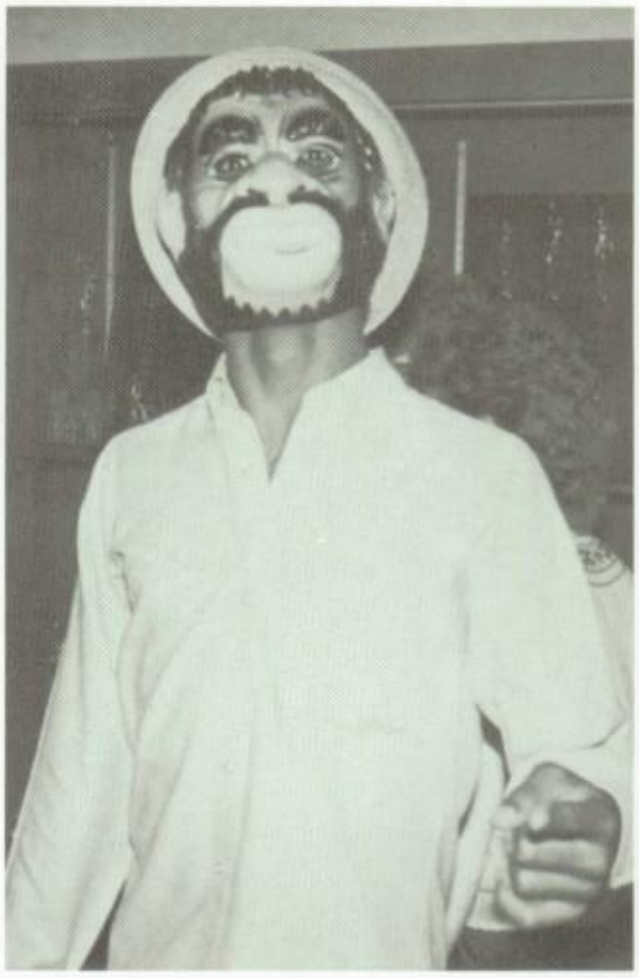
The trip to Austin began with a send-off breakfast for the Bobcats attended by hundred of fans. Probably people all over the state wondered if they could stay on the floor with the New Boston Lions who were 32-0, but the Bobcat fans didn't wonder — we knew the Cats were for real. The game was close and again the Bobcats had a last-gasp chance to produce yet another miracle with three seconds left, but is was not to be. The shot missed and New Boston won 60-59. As Don Nelson wrote, "The Bobcats may be wondering what if, but their fans aren't. For their followers had had the thrill of seeing a bunch of kids develop into a great Bobcat team." This year produced the first team in Dimmitt High School history to win a berth in the state tournament three years in a row.

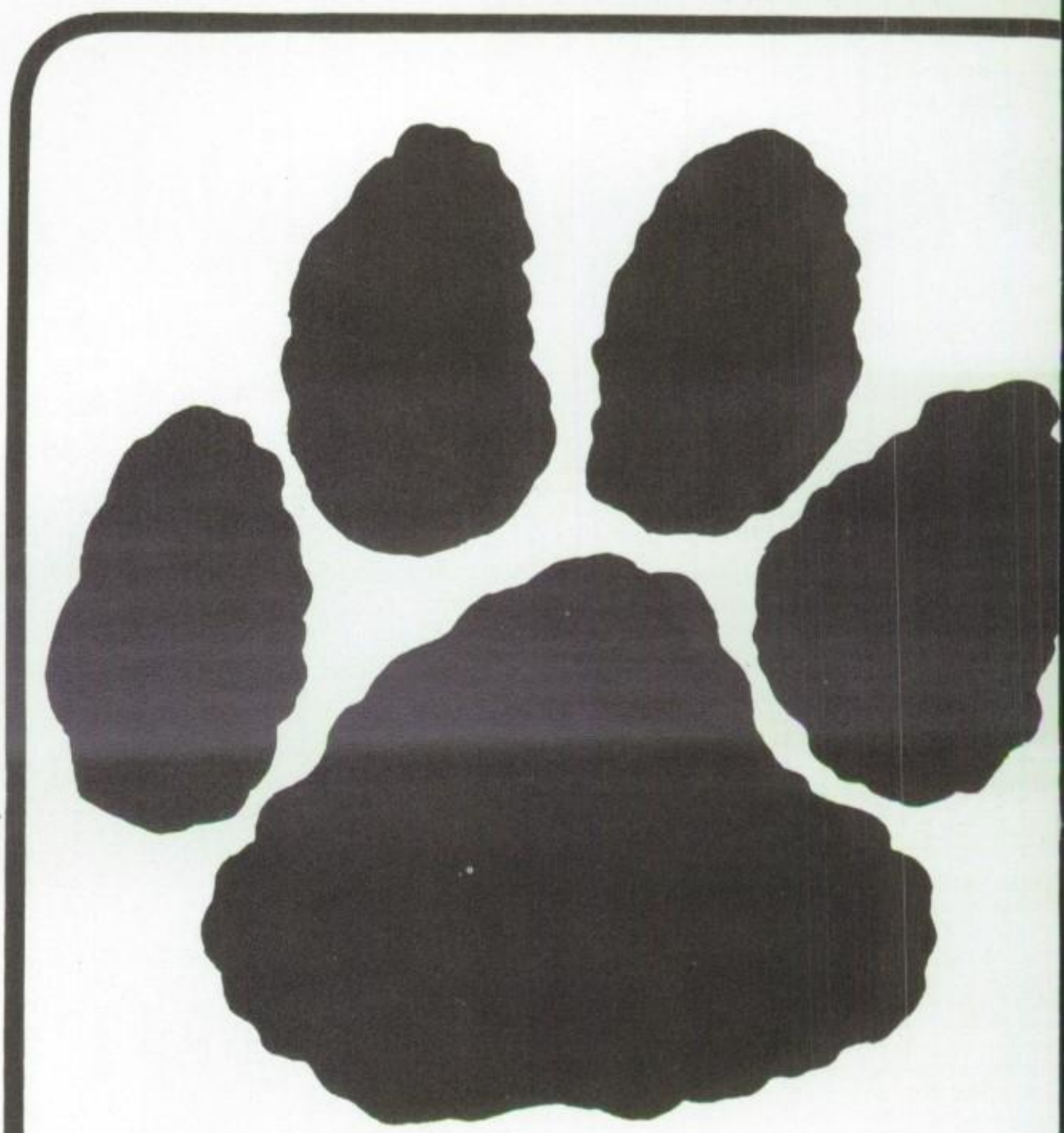
Dwight McDonald became the first Bobcat to go to three state tournaments. Brad Holcomb's selection to the all-state Class AAA team made him the 30th all-state from DHS in boys' basketball.



Brad, All-State

Robert gives it all!





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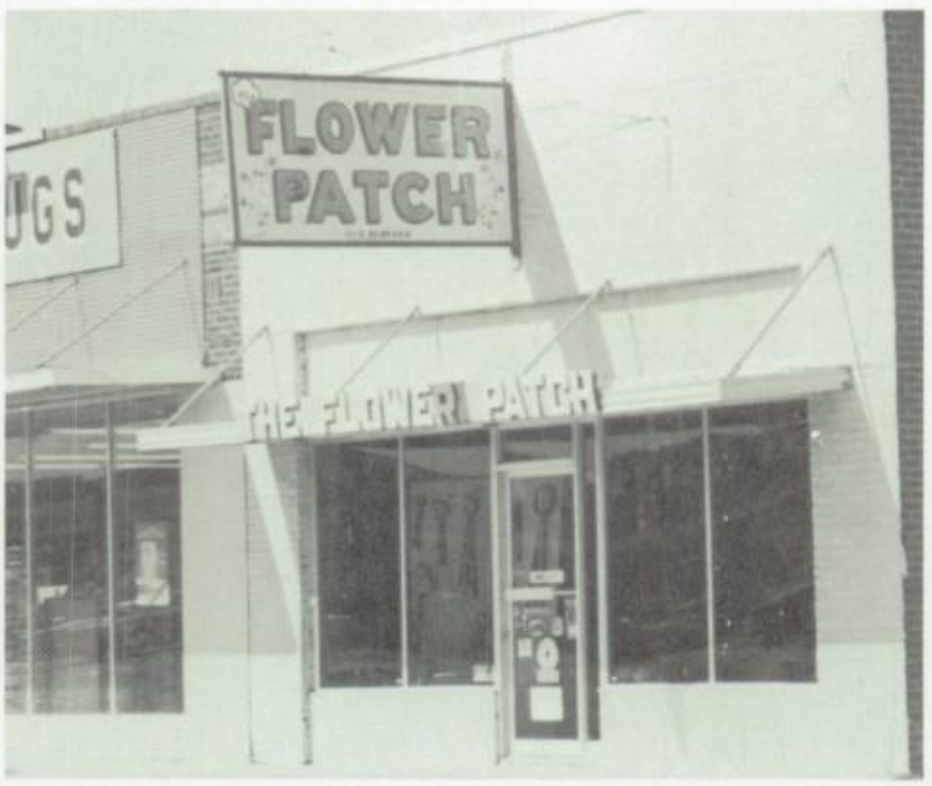

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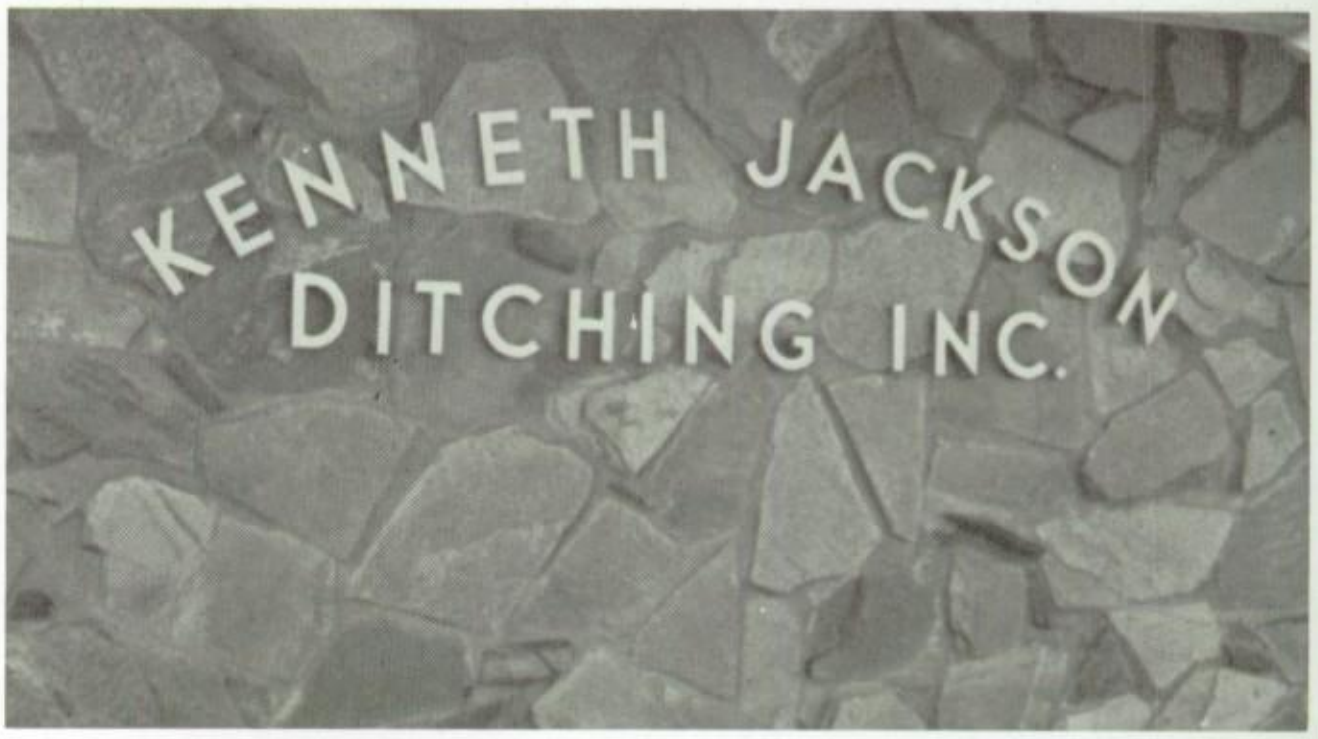

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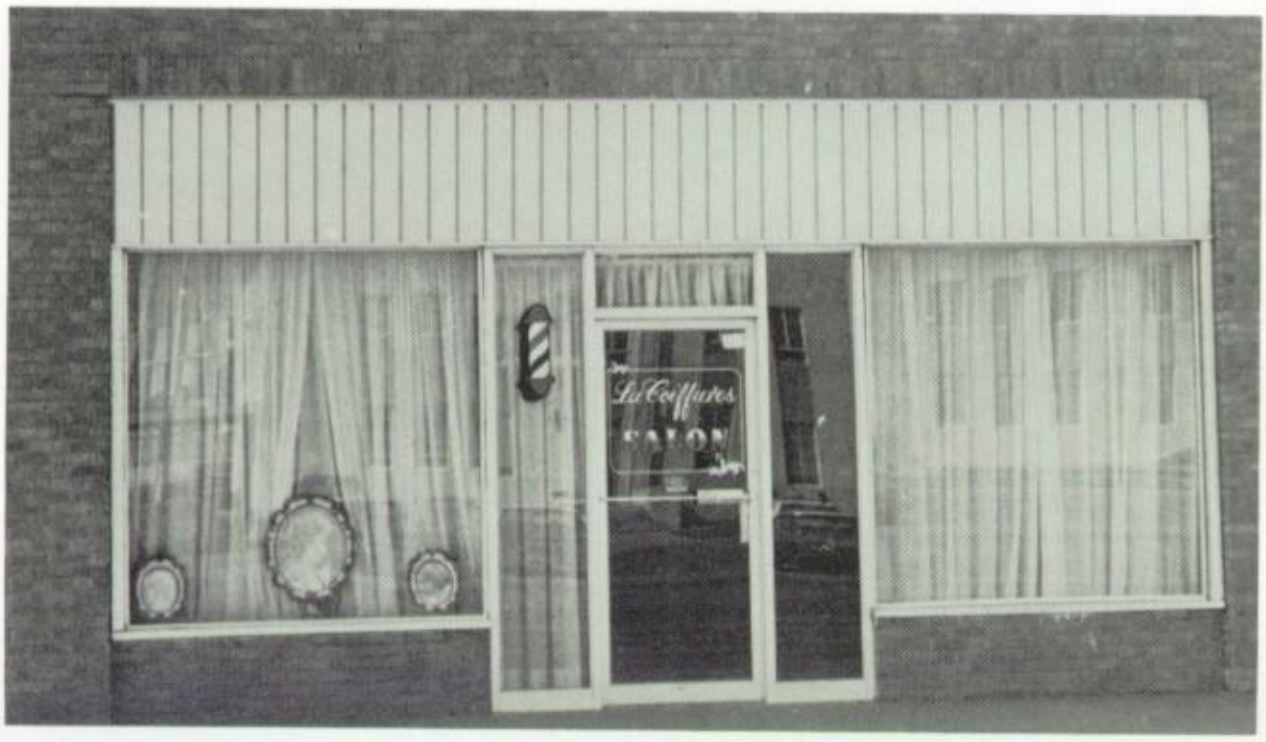

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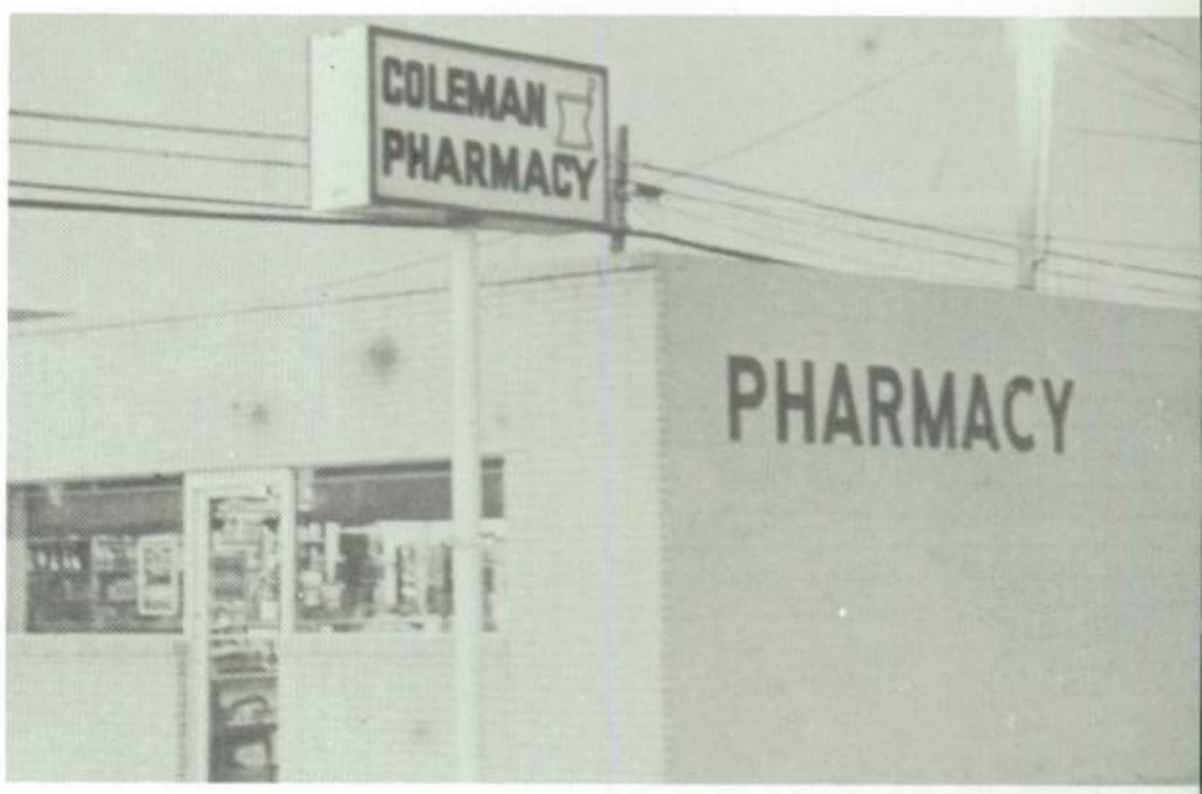

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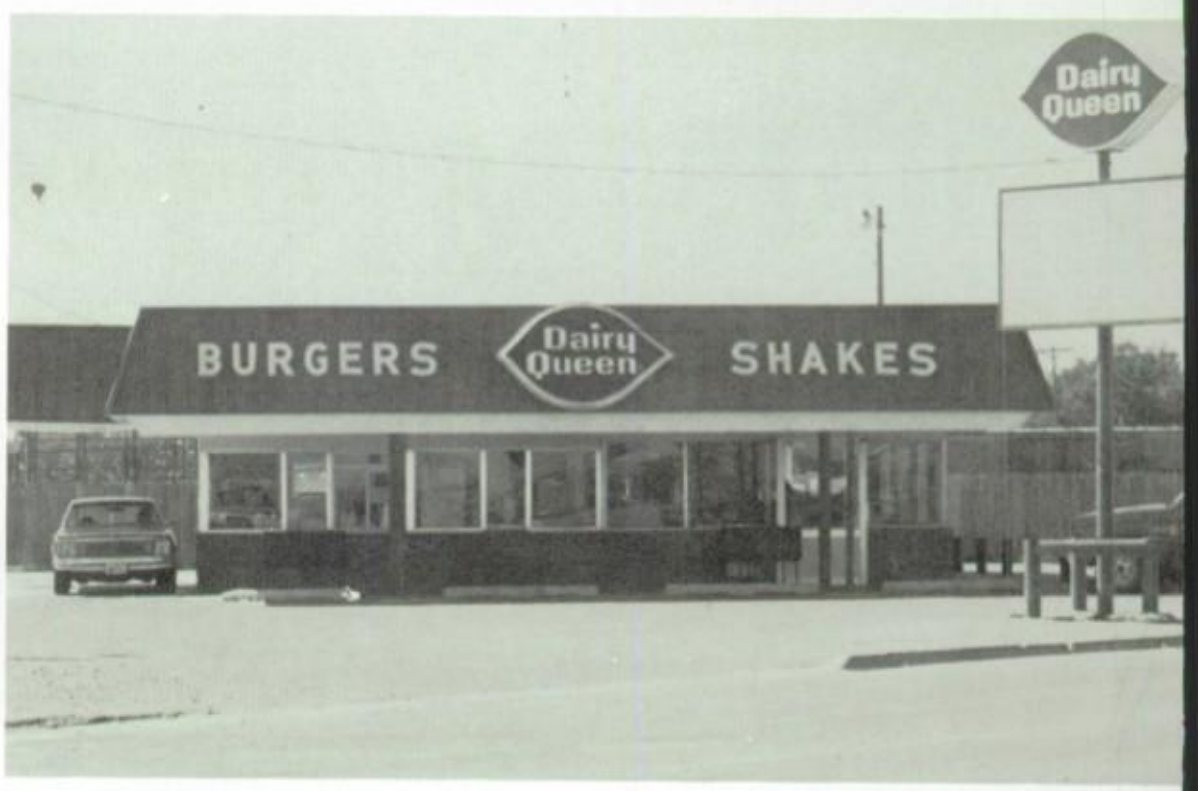

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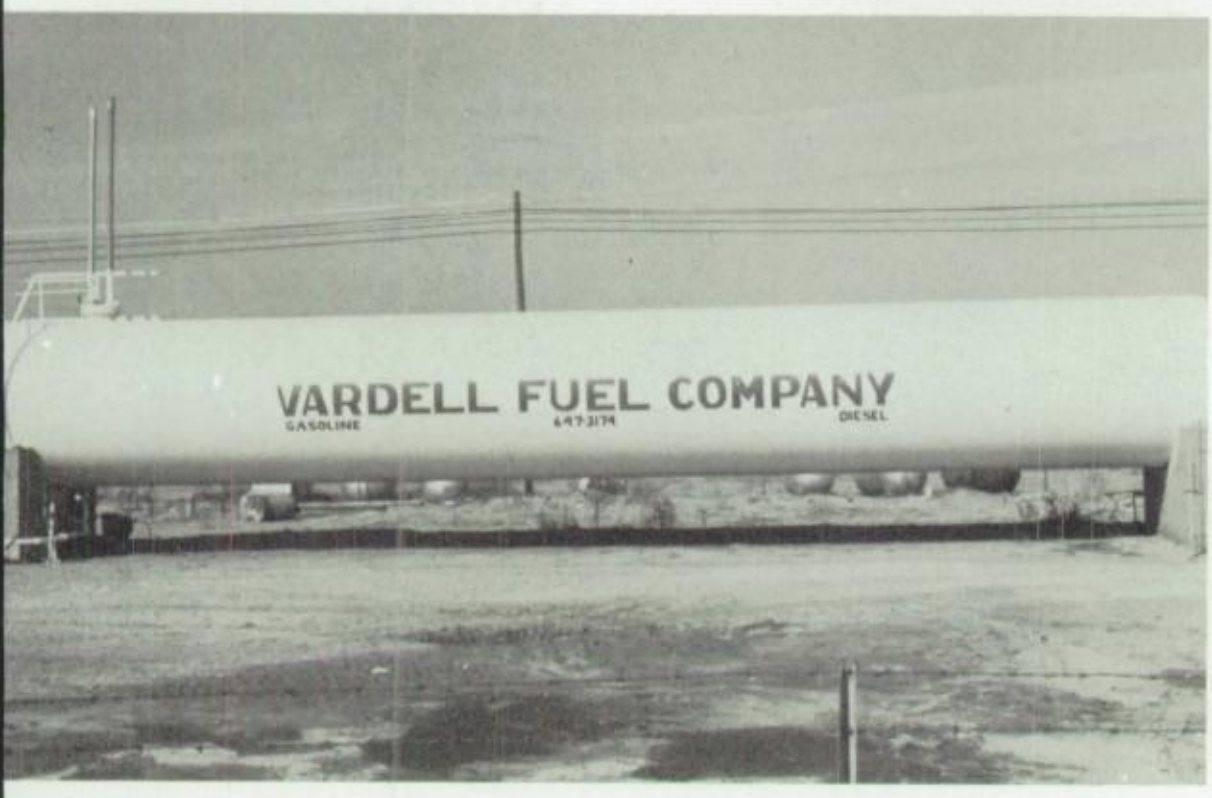

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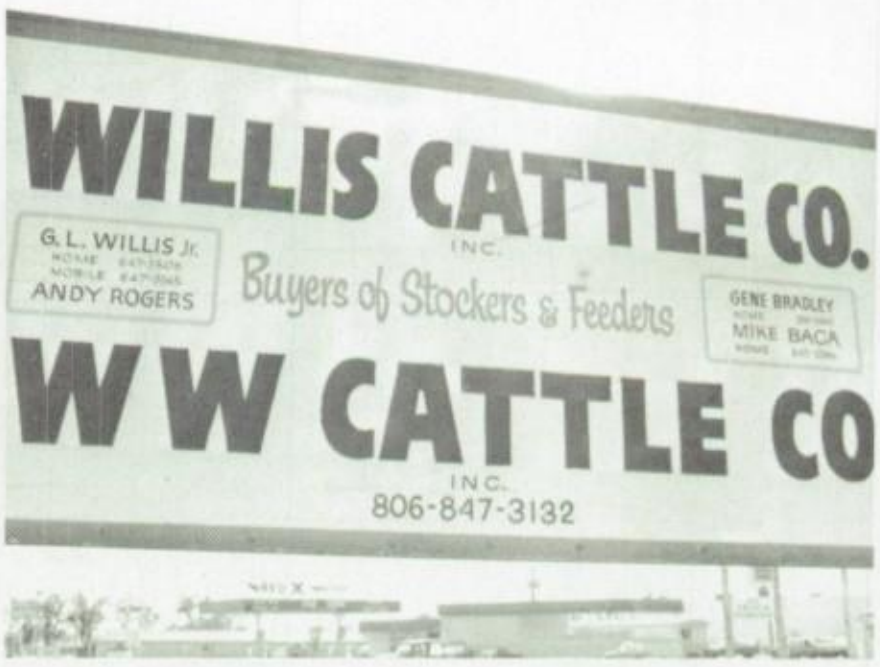

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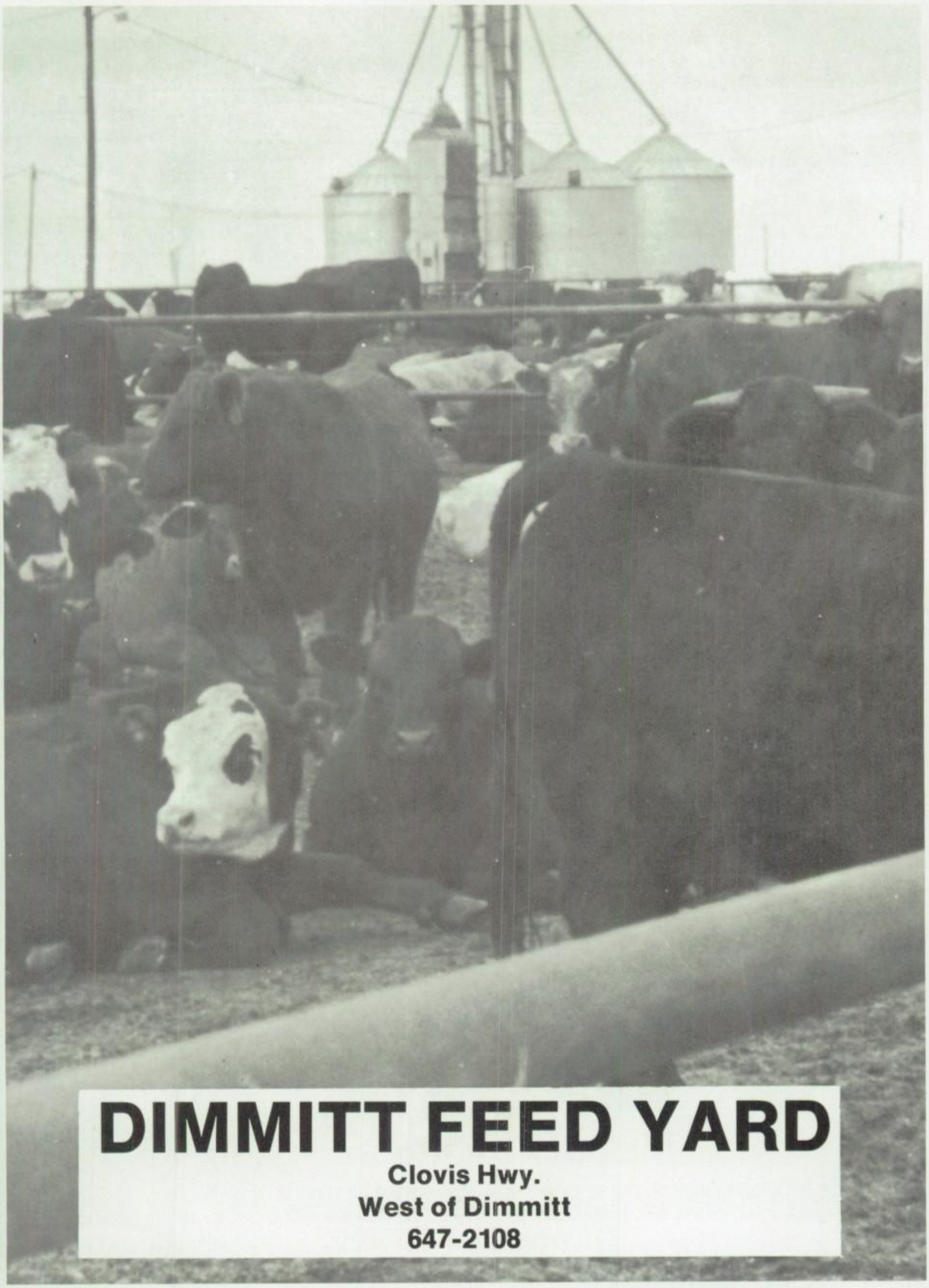

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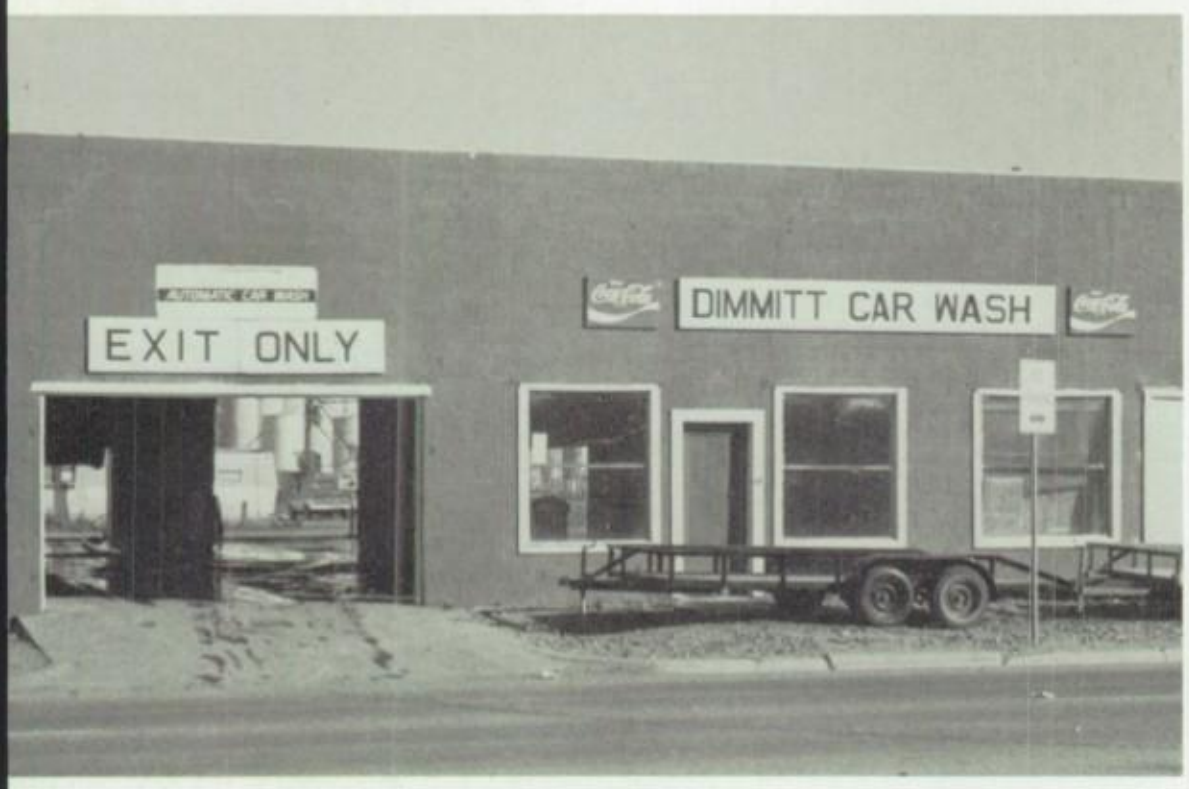

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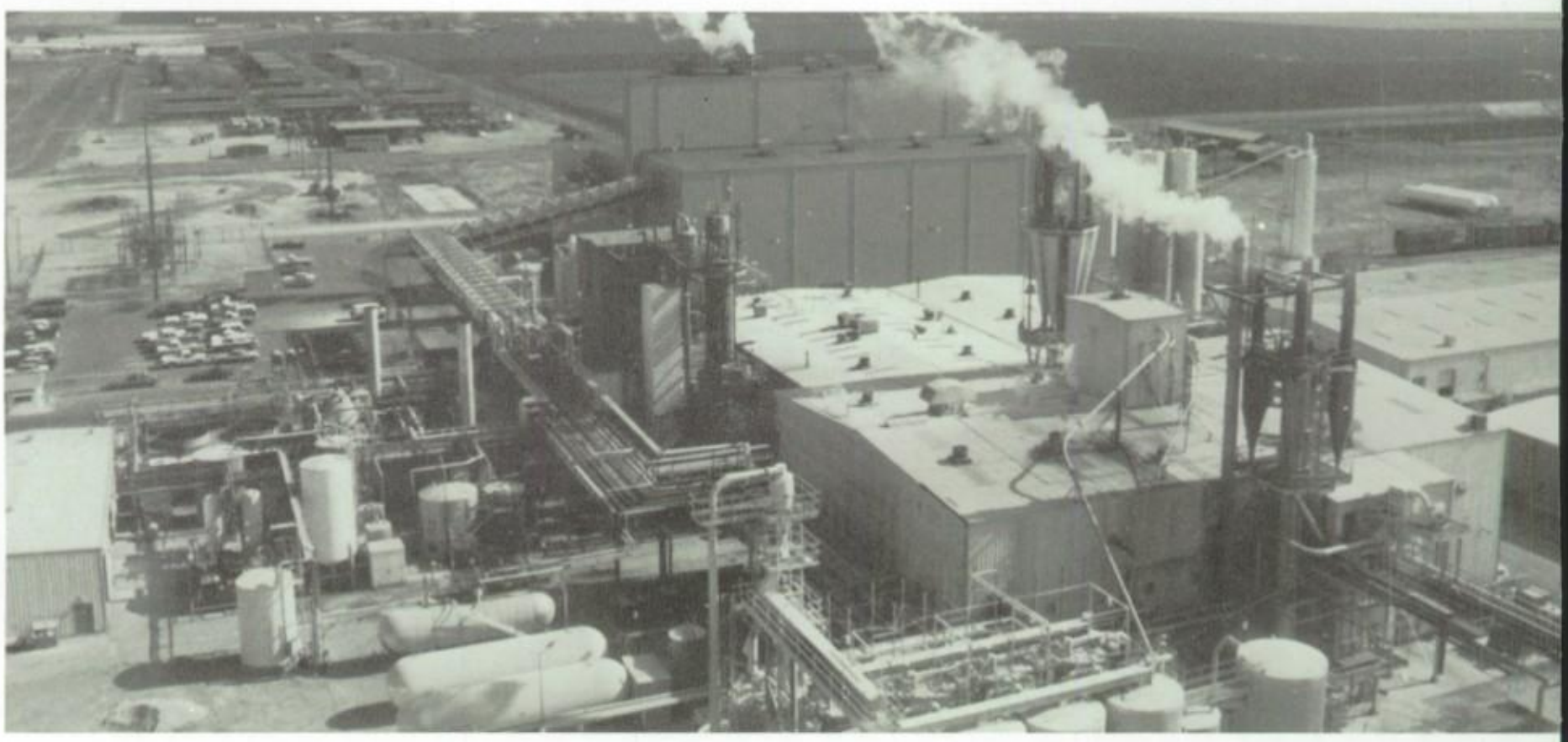

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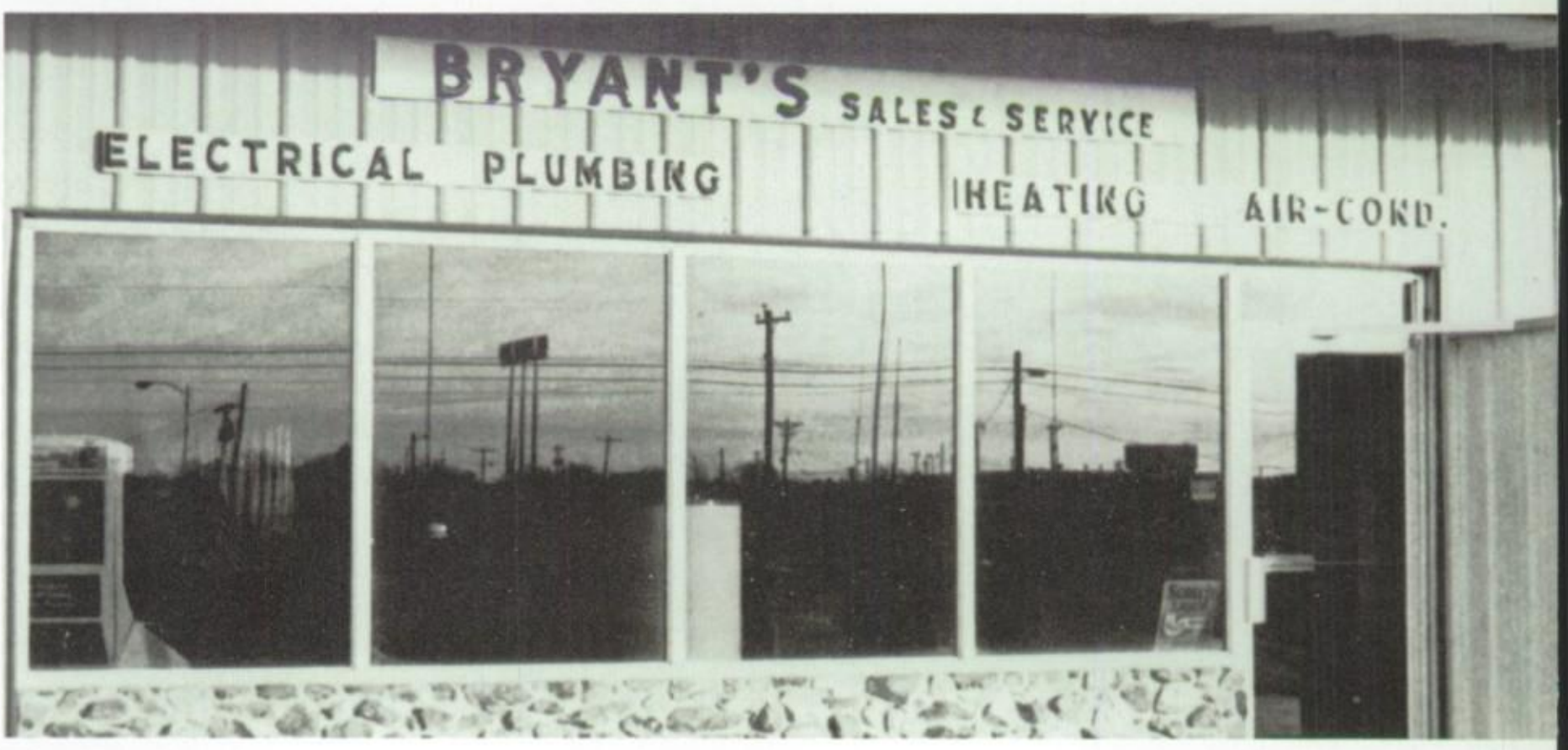

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Mrs. Hottel Retires

Estella Hottel came to Dimmitt in 1958, and has taught in Dimm public schools 25½ years. She moved from Beaumont to Dimmit July, 1958. In the fall of 1958 she taught sixth grade in the No Grade Elementary building (Middle school now). In the fall of 19 1960, and 1961, she taught biology and homemaking I in high scho from then on she taught full time homemaking classes. She taught Homemaking I, II, III, IV, and HECE. Freshmen through seni have been in her classes. She has also helped sponsor class Future Homemakers of America, and Young Homemakers. She ma homemaking interesting for her classes and her teaching will greatly missed by the students of Dimmitt High School.

The Bobcat annual staff hopes that this yearbook will be a special one for you. We have tried to record all the events of the year in the hope that this history book will help you recall fun times and good memories.

Special thanks goes to Don Nelson at the Castro County News. We appreciate his willingness to help us with pictures, write ups of games, and advice when we ask. Thanks also to the Don Gregory's and the Stan Byrnes' for the use of their homes for our favorites' pictures.

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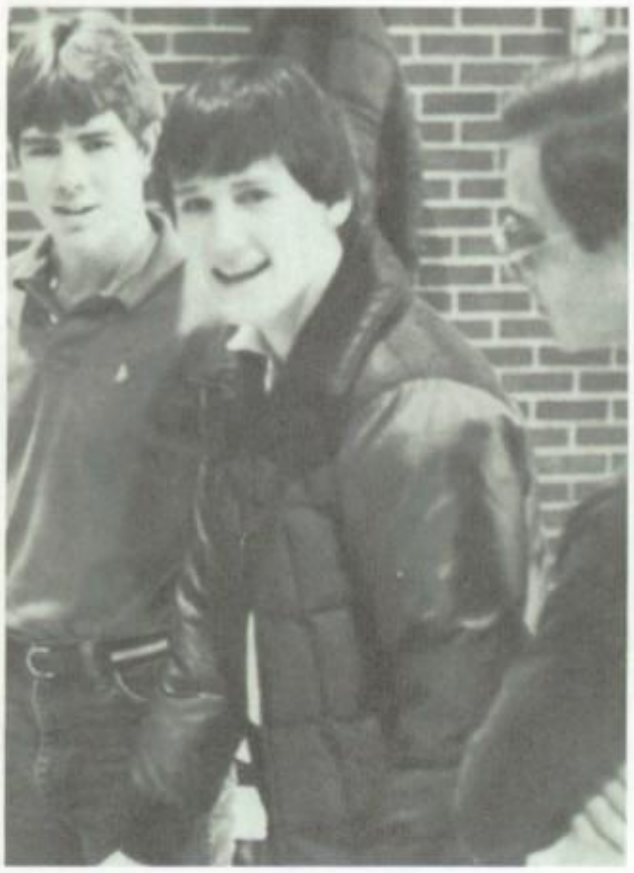
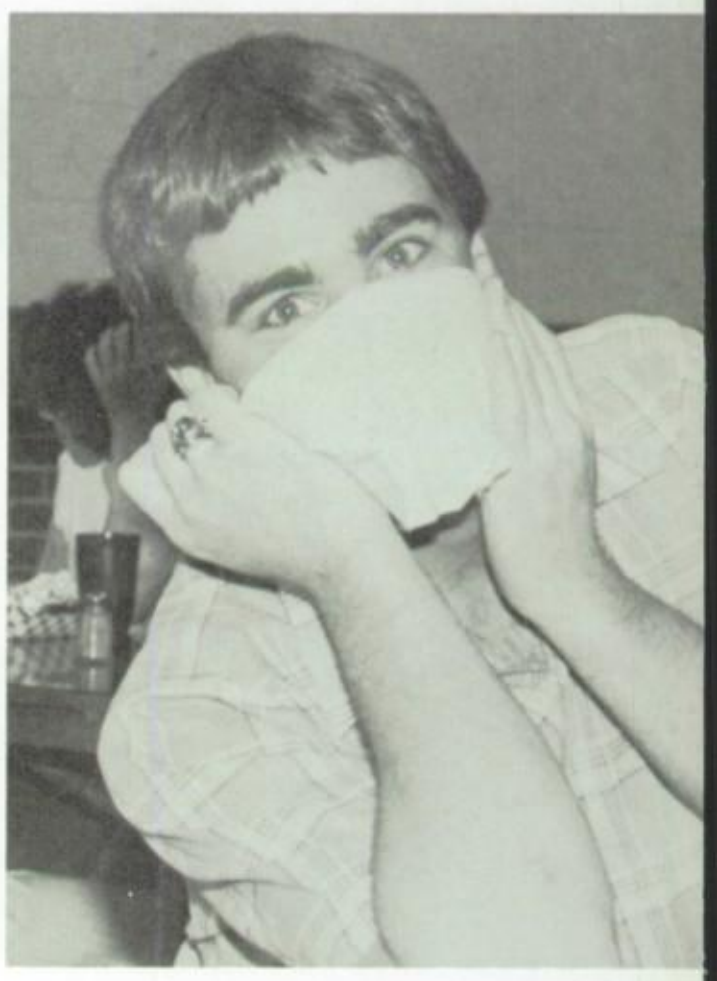
it is hard
to feel the hand of death arrest
one's steps,
throw a chill blight over all one's
budding hopes,
and hurl one's soul untimely to
the shades,
lost in the gaping gulf of blank
oblivion.

in memory of our classmate
and friend:
Douglas Garibaldi
March 19, 1964-May 13, 1984





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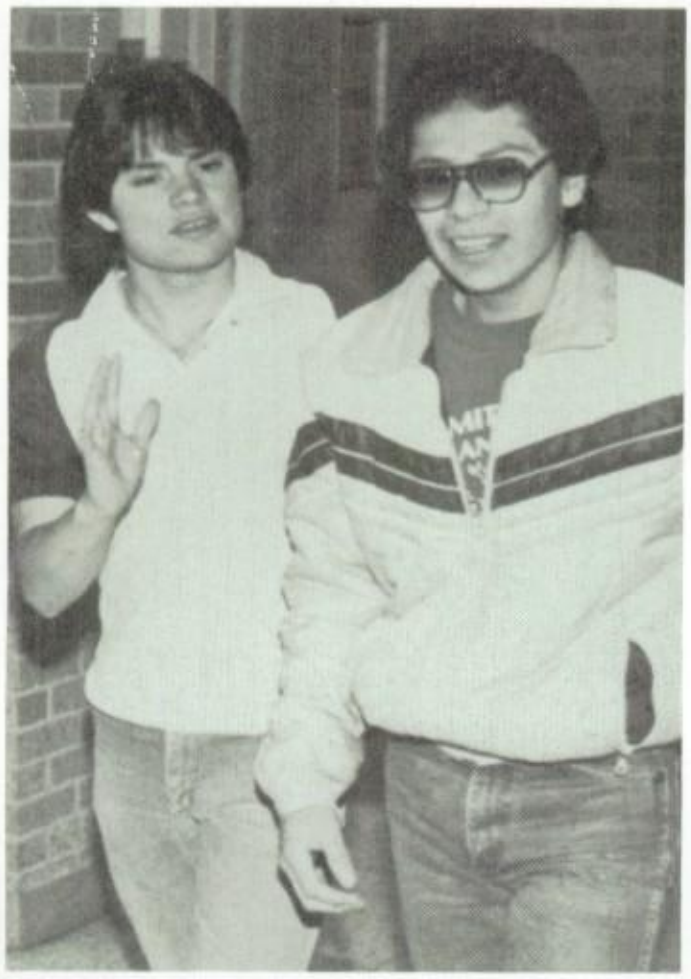


Best of Friends
Best of Times

best of friends

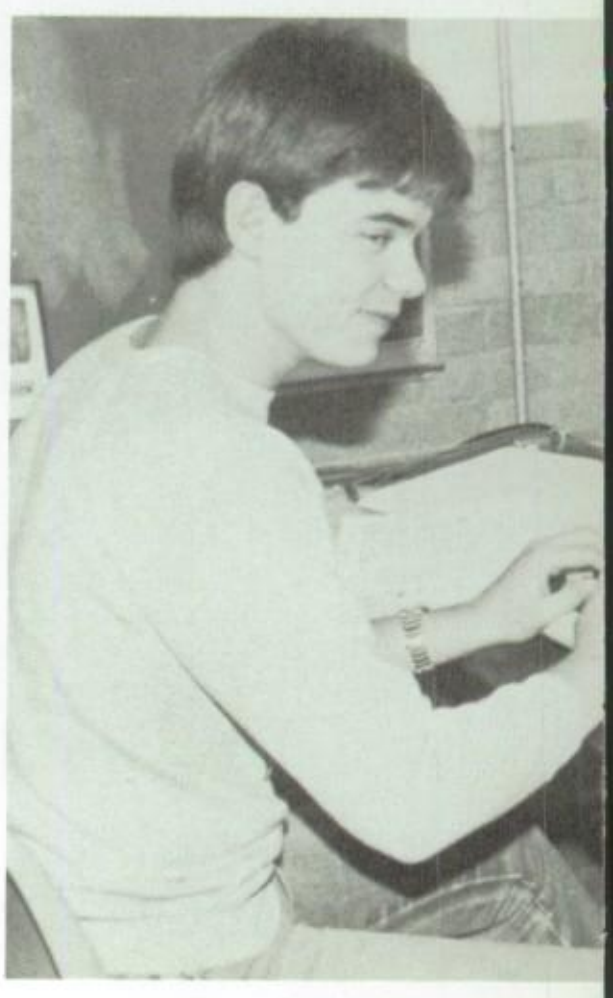
best of times

we remember day one,
how scared could we be?
what we needed were friends,
that was easy to see.

we began our new friendships,
very eager but scared.
we discussed all our dreams,
it was failure we feared.

our friends are there to help,
as we journey on our way.
and when we finally graduate,
we hope to see them again someday.

but if we never do,
the fond memories will stay.
we'll look back at the times in "big d"
and remember . . . "the good old days!"



Hal.

Well, it's a year late, but what can I say. We've been through a lot together. But somehow through good times & bad we have stayd together. Thanks so much for everything, You've been there so many times and You mean a lot to me! I hope everything in life You want is exactly what You get! You deserve it. Hey, let's stay in touch and always be friends. You know if you ever need a friend, I'll be there. Stay Sweet for me, I'll never forget You! That's a promise!

PS. Good Luck!

Love You Always!

Liz